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NEWS AND COMMENT.

THE war cloud around Samoa begins to look rather smoky.

WE havn't sniffed any smell of gun powder from Samoa, as yet.

THREE cheers for old Cumberland's representatives in the Legislature!

HIS name is Judge Advocate-General, Thomas H. Sutton, of Cumberland.

STANLY, the great African explorer, served faithfully in the Confederate army.

THE war cloud over the Islands of the Pacific are beginning to look rather s(a)mo(a)ky.

JAY Gould has signified his intention to take a trip through the South within the next few days.

ANOTHER whopping combine has been made, and the Pullman Palace Car Company swallows up several other smaller rivals.

MAJ. Chas. H. Smith, otherwise known as "Bill Arp" has become President of a flourishing manufacturing concern in Rome, Ga.

"THE Vanderbilt estate has just been assessed at $238,000,000." There's one family, then, that will be able to buy ice next summer.

SECRETARY Whitney thinks it about time to establish a definite policy with regard to the Islands of the Pacific Ocean and has ordered the "Vandalia" to Samoa.

GOVERNOR Fowle will open the "Second Grand Annual Exposition of Eastern Carolina Game, Fish, Oyster and Industrial Association," at New Berne February 19th.

THERE is great rejoicing in England over the appointment of Gladstone to a seat in the House of Commons recently made vacant by the death of Sir William Pearce.

WILLIAM Henry Harrison Cowles of this State is just now putting in some sixteen hundred pound blows for the repeal of the internal revenue laws, and bids fair to become the future Mills of the House.

"DR. McGlynn, the anti-poverty Society man of New York, is blowing off at the mouth again; evidently bothered with a case of the jim-jams." Yes, fool's names like their faces, often seen in public places.

TROUBLE is brewing in West Virginia. As Hayes' first act was to pull the bayonets away from the State houses, Harrison's may reverse this policy and reinstate the bayonet to sustain the ballot, as the situation is ripe for revolution.

"ST. Louis *Post-Dispatch* says: It may be expected that General Harrison will talk well in his inaugural about electoral reform." But it is far more important to the average man of honor to know what he and his party are going to do about it.

THE Democrats of West Virginia "swore in open court" that the last election in that State was a fraud and a sham, and that until the Courts can canvass the poll they will never allow Goff to take the Gubernatorial chair. Meanwhile Gov. Wilson, Democrat, holds the fort.

ALL doubt as to John Wannamaker's going into Harrison's Cabinet has been removed by reason of the fact that Harrison has just telegraphed the great Philadelphia Clothier to report at Indianapolis at once, when and where Mr. Harrison's Cabinet will likely materialize.

WITHIN a year it has been clearly demonstrated that the high lands of Western Florida, once the best grazing country in the South, and which kept the Southern Confederacy almost alive with its fine cattle for nearly two years, is also the finest tobacco country in the United States.

A HUGE Dutch tobacco Trust of such magnitude and capital as would send President Cleveland's ability to sleep o' nights into innocuous desuetude if it were located in his dominions, controls, cures and sells in Amsterdam, at a yearly sale, all the leaf tobacco grown in tropical Sumatra.

Origin of the Nickname "Tarheel."

[Washington Post.]

Congressman Nichols, of North Carolina, was describing the decline of the old-fashioned way of making tar in his State, at the Ebbitt House last night, and when he had finished he turned and said: "Do you know how North Carolina got its nickname, "The Tar heel State?" Well, I'll tell you. It originated during the war. The North Carolina and Virginia troops on the Southern side were always bantering each other about their respective States. One day a Virginia soldier met a North Carolina soldier and greeted him with the question: "Well, how is the price of tar down your way?" "It's gone up." "Why?" "Because so many of you fellows from Virginia have been down there buying tar to make their heels stick in a fight."

That was a settler, and the Virginian acknowledged he had the worst of it, but he took out his revenge by conspiring with his comrades to call North Carolina the "Tar-heel State."

The mule is hardy and handy, if not handsome,

GOV. FOWLE'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS.

Delivered in Raleigh January 18th, 1889.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly, Ladies and Fellow Citizens:

The issues of the war are dead. The election of Grover Cleveland to the Presidency of the United States four years ago and the magnificent administration of public affairs since his inauguration have done more to destroy sectionalism and restore confidence and fraternity between the States of the Union than all other causes combined since the surrender of Gen. Lee at Appomattox.

Before Mr. Cleveland's inauguration there were many prominent narrow-minded men at the North who honestly believed (if narrow mindedness can ever be honest) that the advent of the democratic party to power meant an assault upon the integrity of the Union and encouragement to the disunion sentiment which it was assumed was still smouldering throughout the South, ready to show itself at the first favorable opportunity.

At the South, men of broader minds, but even less honesty, had impressed upon the colored element of our population that the triumph of democracy meant an assault upon their acquired freedom. From these causes the inauguration of a democratic national administration gave great disquietude North and South. But as the sun, when he has climbed above the horizon, by his dispelling beams drives away the fogs which obscured the vision, so the glorious acts of Cleveland's administration have shamed into silence the stupid croakers of the North and allayed the fears of the credulous and simple-minded negroes of the South.

And now that this distinguished successor to Washington is about to close his term, let us pause and inquire what lessons have been taught us by his wise and patriotic administration of public affairs.

First. It has restored the American Union almost as it existed in the days of our fathers. It has enabled a Southern man to take pride once more in the Constitution of the United States, that grand offering of Virginia's great son to liberty and the country, and to feel once more that his native State is the equal of any of the sisterhood.

Second By the consolidation of collection districts and the elimination of unnecessary officers it has established a precedent for economy in public expenditures, very much needed at this time.

Third. By his manly, straight-forward recommendations for the reduction of taxes he has earned the respect and lasting gratitude of our heavily taxed and overburdened people. For, to his honor be it said, that his was the first message which for 25 years has emanated from the White House espousing the cause of the toiling masses and proposing a restriction upon the unholy gains of corporations, combinations and trusts.

Notwithstanding this grand record of public service and a plurality of many thousands of the popular vote, by an eddy of political sentiment in a single State he has been denied a re-election; but the principles which he has re-established are of such vital force that his successor in office must repudiate the platform upon which he was apparently elected and follow in the footsteps of his illustrious predecessor, or the wrath of an offended people will visit with condign punishment his departure from the paths of wisdom and good government.

But enough of the past. Let us turn our gaze to the present and deduce from it what is apparently in store for us and our great State.

A republican administration will control the destinies of this country from the 4th of March for the term of four years.

North Carolina stands ready to give that administration a fair trial and to cordially co-operate with it in every effort which it may make to increase the prosperity of the Union and the glory of the Constitution of the United States. For, throughout the limits of this State, at least, it is thoroughly believed that the Union is the Constitution and the Constitution is the Union. Upon the maintenance of that Constitution depends the prosperity of the Union.

North Carolina will cheerfully give her aid in making our country greater and more powerful during the next four years, because she is satisfied that the attempt to enrich the few by the oppression of the many, under the specious pretence of affording protection to American labor, will be fully understood by the masses of the people before the expiration of another four years, and when the Democratic party resumes the control of this government it wishes to find the people as little impoverished as possible; for it will come to stay, until it has performed its great work of extirpating those alliances which have for their object the accumulation of immense private fortunes at the expense of the suffering people.

It is at least a matter of congratulation that the Republican party now has it in its power to repeal the iniquitous internal revenue system which it originated. It is an excise tax and, now that the war is over, should be repealed without delay.

In regard to State affairs, we have great cause for thankfulness on account of the good results which have attended the wise, and patriotic administrations of my three distinguished precessors, Governors Scales, Jarvis and Vance.

TAXATION.

From 1868 to the present time the assessed property of the State has increased from about $98,000,000 to $217,000,000, and since 1868, when our State tax, under republican rule, was 80 cents on the $100 worth of property, it has been reduced until now it is only 20 cents on the $100 worth of property, and yet we have erected more public buildings than at any previous period of our history.

POPULATION.

Our population seems to be increasing gradually but surely. Taking the number of votes cast for the several candidates for Governor from 1868 to 1888 it will appear that the increase has been during the twenty years seventy-two per cent., for in 1868 the vote was 166,000, whilst in 1888 it was 285,000.

IMMIGRATION.

This increase, it ought to gratify us at ascertaining is due not to any appreciable extent to immigration, but to the natural increase of our population, And when we consider the advantages of the soil, location and temperature possessed by our State we may reasonably hope that the day is not distant when worthy, industrious emigrants will find it to their interest to come to this, the most favored of all the sisters of the Union. But in order to attract desirable emigrants we must improve our State and give to it such a government as will induce the better class of those who desire new homes to cast their lots with us.

THE STATE GUARD.

Gov. Fowle recommended to the Legislature "to render more effective the State Guard by increasing the number of companies to 30 or even more, and providing a permanent encampment. In conclusion on this subject he says:

"Personal liberty is of the first concern to a good citizen, and this personal liberty can best be preserved by having an organized force at the command of the executive to be used promptly, whenever the emergency may arise. My distinguished predecessor authorizes me to state that on one occasion at least, during his administration, the fact that we had a State Guard, in his opinion, preserved the public peace and saved North Carolina from riot and bloodshed."

SPECIAL TAX BONDS.

Improper taxes should not be imposed or collected. In this connection your attention is called to that clause of the Constitution of our State which provides that no tax shall be levied for the payment of any special tax boads until the same has been submitted to a vote of the people.

A suit is now pending for the collection of the special tax bonds issued by the legislature of 1868, and I wish each and every member of the General Assembly to understand distinctly that everything which the Governor can constitutionally do to prevent the collection of these bonds or any portion of them, principal or interest, will be done, and that be, as well as the people of North Carolina, relies upon your earnest co-operation in protecting the State from this imposition.

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES.

To an intelligent man seeking a new home the educational facilities afforded by a State to the young of both sexes are of prime importance.

No one can peruse the Constitution adopted by North Carolina in 1789 or its various changes since without being struck by the solicitude of our people that our

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should be fostered by the legislature. Under that Constitution its care is your duty and its proper maintenance by you one of its most binding obligations.

To your kind care it is committed, and anything that may be necessary to make it more effective and useful you will no doubt take pleasure as well as pride in doing.

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Our common schools are an honor to the State. We have appropriated more and more money for the education of our boys and girls. In 1868 there was expended for this purpose by the State $39,000; in 1888 about $700,000. But yet in some of the counties of State the schools are not kept open four months each year, as the Constitution requires. There seems to be no practical way under an act which is uniform in levying taxes upon the different counties of the State to remedy this evil by legislation, and yet it should be remedied. The suggestion is, therefore, made for your consideration whether it would not be well to make some change in the Constitution of the State so that the amount needed to keep the schools open for the four months shall be levied upon the property of the county in which the deficiency occurs.

TITLES TO LAND.

It is of the utmost importance to us to have the titles to our real estate as clear and simple as possible. But yet, owing to an old provision in our law, which might at one time have been reasonable, it often happens that a title is condemned, or in case a man desires to negotiate a loan, doubt is thrown upon it to such an extent that those having money are unwilling to part with it for fear that some "married woman" or the married daughter of some mother and grandmother, who was a married woman before she arrived at the age of twenty-one years, may sue for the same. There has been case after case in our county where men have purchased estates, after due enquiry, and yet some one living in some distant part of the county, has, under this law, brought suit and dispossessed the man or the woman who has expended money in buying a home. This can be remedied by repealing the provision excepting married women from our statutes of repose.

RAILROADS.

The railroad system of a State always attracts the attention of a would-be citizen.

We have now in North Carolina five railroad companies. We have 2,550 miles of track already laid, and new routes contemplated and begun every few months. These railroads have been of incalculable benefit to our State and people, and their prosperity is to us a matter of pardonable pride, and no embarrassing restraint upon their development or prosperity should be imposed by a legislative body. But, on the other hand, the exercise of unlimited power—almost of sovereignty—by powerful corporations, however well managed, will be apt to prove injurious to the State or some portion of it, whenever the interest of those corporations seems to be antagonistic to that of our State or people.

It is therefore right and proper that a law creating a railroad commission, to be composed of, say, three members, should be matured at an early day by the General Assembly. Care, of course, should be taken not to interfere with the legitimate exercise of power by the different railroad corporations, but at the same time the interests of the State should be carefully guarded against usurpations by these most powerful associations.

DISABLED SOLDIERS.

From the most powerful let us turn to the most helpless of our people.

We have maimed and disabled soldiers around us who have fought the battles of their State, and entwined around North Carolina's brow a chaplet of undying glory and renown. For even in a war which culminated in defeat, the North Carolina soldier won for himself a reputation for courage and heroism unsurpassed by the achievements of the human race in any clime or any country.

It is the desire of our people that this legislature should be prudent and economical, but no whisper has yet come to my ears that a proper appropriation should not be made to render more tolerable the condition of those brave soldiers who were wounded upon the battlefield, and are now suffering on account of those wounds for the actual necessaries of life. Let your bounty to them be as liberal as the circumstances of the State will permit. Fix upon the amount which, aided by the gifts of the charitable and the affection of kindred, will bring comfort to each disabled soldier, and provide that an additional amount shall be added to the sum appropriated under the act of 1884 for his benefit until he shall receive an amount to be fixed by you, and the plandits of your countrymen will attend your action.

The next four years may be more trying, but will you not, gentlemen of the General Assembly and fellow citizens, give your aid and influence in bringing increased prosperity and development to our noble old mother, and making her position in the sisterhood more glorious and honorable than it has ever been before?

This can only be done by wise and patriotic laws, enacted by you who are representatives and by prompt and cheerful co-operation upon the part of our citizens. It can only be done by deepening and widening the foundation upon which rests, in the hearts of the people of North Carolina, the love of the American Union.

When the prodigal son returned to the house of his father, the misfortunes of his past only added to the love and affection which he bore to his recovered home. Realizing the ardent devotion entertained by this people for the government of our fathers, I unhesitatingly proclaim this day that nowhere within this broad land is there a sincerer devotion felt for the national government than within the limits of North Carolina. It is our country, and it is our government, and at the conclusion of this administration let us by our actions be able to prove to the whole world that the confines of a single State are not sufficient to satisfy the longings and ambitions of a people whose pride and glory it is that this is part and parcel of a great and powerful country. Let us welcome our brethren from other States of this Union, whether North or South, whithin our borders, and let us make each and every of them feel that we are a like brothers in the Union, and that we proudly point to our inheritance of American citizenship as the greatest honor which any human being can claim.

When this is fully realized our homes will be better protected, our people will become better satisfied, our State more progressive and our country the pride and glory of the world.

In a Minute.

[Pall Mall Gazette.]

To ask Dora to do anything was almost invariably to get the reply, "in a minute." It was a bad habit she had. "Dora, please bring me a drink of water." "In a minute." "Dora, go up-stairs and bring me down my comb." "Yes, mother, in a minute." Dora, come to your dinner." "In a minute." One day Dora's bird was hopping about on the floor.

Somebody went out, leaving the door open, just as "somebody" is always doing. Dora's mother said: "Dora, shut that door, or the cat will come after your bird."

"Yes, mother, in a minute," said Dora. "I just want to finish this line in my drawing." But the cat did not wait. In he came, and with one dart had the bird in his mouth.

Down went the slate on the floor, and away went cat, bird and Dora. There was a wild chase on the lawn. "In a minute" Dora came back weeping, with the dead bird in her hand.

Dora cried. Mamma was sad, but said: "A great many things may happen in a minute."

Dora has never forgotten that lesson, and never will.

DETROIT TO ASHEVILLE.

The Whole Trip on Horseback.

[Asheville Citizen.]

Mr. Walter Buell, late city editor of the Detroit (Mich.) *Free Press*, arrived in the city Thursday from Detroit, having made the entire journey on horseback. He was accompanied by his friend Mr. Preston, and they left home about ten days ago. The route they decided upon was about the same as that taken by our townsman, Mr. Fred A. Hull, a few years ago, and the gentlemen declare their pleasure and appreciation of Western North Carolina scenery and climate in words of much praise. They are in search of health and recreation, and will travel extensively in the South, making their journey entirely on horseback. They go to Salisbury today—Mr. Preston being exceeding anxious to again visit the scene of his captivity during the little misunderstanding which occurred in this country some twenty-five years ago. Spending a day or two in Salisbury the tourists will proceed further east in the State, finally entering Virginia at the North Carolina line. Then, after a trip through Virginia, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas, they will return to Michigan.

The Norwegians.

They are a sturdy fine looking peoples says Carter Harrison, and are the most thorough democrats on the face of the globe. They have abolished all title and nobility, and have not learned to worship wealth. One man is quite as good as another, and his bearing shows he thinks so. He takes off his hat when he meets you on the roadside, but does it as freely to the coachman who drives as to the rich man who lolls back in his carriage. They are a good-natured people, I am sure. The kitchen is the living room in a well-to-do farm house. I have walked into these frequently, and generally found the mothers putting the finishing touches to the pot when preparing a meal; and I could never tell which were the daughters of the house and which the servants. By the way, the latter are not ashamed of their calling, and when I have asked a pretty one if she were the daughter, she says: "Oh! nei; I am a servant." Many of the women in the mountains and upper valleys are very comely—not beauties, but ruddy, rosy plump and healthy specimens of femininity.

Lemon juice is a very good remedy for rheumatism and the so-called biliousness of spring. In the latter case the juice should be taken before breakfast. The pulp may also be eaten, avoiding every particle of skin.

STATE NEWS.

SUIT DECIDED.—The suit against the Carolina Oil and Creosote Company of this city for infringement of patent, brought by the Fernoline Company of Charleston, S. C., and tried in the U. S. Circuit Court at Raleigh, before Judge Seymour, has been decided in favor of the Carolina Oil and Creosote Company.—Wilmington *Star*.

KAOLIN AT ROCK HILL.—Considerable excitement has been created at Rock Hill by the discovery of inexhaustible deposits of kaolin in the vicinity of the town. The deposits are said to be of the purest quality and cover an area of several miles. Steps will be taken at once to bring the matter to the attention of experts, and, it is said, that a local company, composed of leading business men, will be formed to work the beds of kaolin.—Bennetsville *Democrat*.

TROY WANTS A RAILROAD.—Our town, perhaps, never had better opportunities for getting a railroad in the near future than she now has. Asheboro has at last placed herself in a position to secure a road from High Point. That will place one railroad point within 28 miles of us. The Aberdeen & West End is, or soon will be, finished to within about 23 miles of this place. These two lines coming straight in this direction begins to make our situation quite interesting.—Troy *Vidette*.

PARDONED.—Gov. Scale's last official act, was the granting of pardons to three long term convicts in the penitentiary, all the pardons being granted for good reasons. The fortunate prisoners were, Robert Long of Stokes, crime, larceny, term, 20 years, time served, 8 years; Ransom Jaynes, of Davidson, crime, burning a mill, term 18 years, time served, 11 years; John Hodges, of Beaufort, crime, burglary, term, 30 years, time served, 21 years. The last named man was one of the first convicts placed in the penitentiary.—Raleigh *Visitor*.

HOG CHOLERA AND TYPHOID.—Mr. Forshee informs us that during his hog cholera investigation for the Agricultural Bureau at Washington City he found at one place, about ten miles square, where the hog cholera was raging, that a great many people were down with a fever called typhoid, but which was in all probability caused by eating meat improperly, or rather not sufficiently cooked, taken from animals already affected with the cholera and which were killed to keep them from taking the disease.—Wilmington *Review*.

PEACH BLOSSOMS.—From Mr. G. L. Anthony, who lives at Vandalia, three miles south of town, we have a box of peach blossoms, "just to show," as he says, "what we have the 15th of January." He says further: "The trees they were cut from are in nursery rows—varieties, Peento, Bidwell's Early, Bidwell's Late—all Florida varieties." This shows how mild the winter has been. We hear of strawberry blossoms where the plants have been covered slightly with straw.—Greensboro *Workman*.

PROMINENT DEAD OF 1888.—During the year in the North the most prominent deaths were Conklin, Waite and Sheridan. In Europe the two German Emperors were the most notable among the dead. Among the ex-Governors who died were W. Johnson, Kentucky; Robertson, Virginia; Edwards, Missouri; Hoffman, New York; and Joel Parker, of New Jersey; ex-Attorney, General Brewster, of Pa; Seth Green, Fish Commissioner; ex-U. S. Senator King, of Ga.; W. W. Corcoran, the rich Washington benefactor; A. S. Barnes, the publisher; E. P. Roe, Louisa M. Alcott, James Freeman Clark, Sidney Howard Gay, Prof. Leone Lev., Robert Morris, Matthew Arnold, Dr. Fothergill, Mary Howitt, Lawrence Oliphant, Bishop Harris of Michigan, Bishop Brown, of Wisconsin, Dr. C. R. Agnew, Dr. P. H. Mell, Dr. J. B. Boyce, Prof. E. A. Aiken, all "joined the majority." The four last named were Southern. —Wilmington *Star*.

THE HANGINGS IN 1888.—The number of legal executions during the year has increased over last year, when it was much smaller than for many years previous. The total number was 87, as compared with 79 in 1887, 83 in 1886, and 108 in 1885. The executions in the several States were as follows:

Alabama, 5; Arkansas, 5; Connecticut, 1; Delaware, 1; Georgia, 3; Illinois, 2; Indiana, 1; Iowa, 1; Kansas, 2; Kentucky, 1; Louisiana, 3; Maryland, 1; Massachusetts, 1; Minnesota, 1; Mississippi, 4; Missouri, 4; New York, 9; New Jersey, 4; North Carolina; 2; Ohio, 3; Oregon, —; Pennsylvania, 5, South Carolina, 5; Tennessee, 2; Texas, 6; Arizona, 1; Idaho, 2; Montana, 2; Washington, 1; Wyoming, 1; Indian Territory, 2.

Of this number all were males but one, 57 were white, 29 negroes, and 1 Chinaman. —*Chicago Tribune*.

THE HAMMOCK AND THE SWING.—A writer in the Chicago *News* gives the result of an experiment, showing that the instict of children has in it, not only a love for recreation of a choice sort, but a sanitary common sense. A number of swings were suspended at a summer home for children; and near by were slung two dozen hammocks. The latter were almost always full, but the swings rarely were in use. The hammock is the most natural invention to give perfect rest and ease to the whole body, with a delicious sense of motion and activity. Every home should have several hammocks swung under trees, for the use of both adults and children. It will tend greatly to relieve the strain of every day toil, and so sweeten the intercourse of its members.—*Globe Democrat*.

STICKING TO IT.—A good story is told of a young man who consulted an old gentleman who had been very successful in business, as to the best business in which to engage. In answer to the question 'What had I best do?' the old man replied, 'Stick.' The young fellow explained that he wished to know what he had best do to make money. Again he was told, 'Stick.' 'Stick at what?' was asked. 'Oh, that is a matter of little consequence. Take almost any line of business you like; but stick to it.

EVIL ASSOCIATIONS.—Mrs. Nibbs—I am shocked, Willie Bibbs, to hear you use such awful language, positively shocked, I think it's high time your mother took you in hand.

Willie—Yes, m'm, she has. She told me this morning I must stop 'scociatin' with your little boy, 'cause he was makin' me as bad as hisself.

January Jokes.

A ticklish place—The ribs.

Causes a rise in flour—Yeast.

Poor quarters—English shillings.

There is a charming elasticity about a girl of eighteen Springs.

A good many dough heads are still found among the upper crust.

The owner of a cremation furnace tries to earn a living by urning the dead.

The reason why laundresses have the blues is probably because they use indigo.

Some folks are so peculiar that they will not eat salt fish unless they know it is fresh.

In a school of fish the young idea is doubtless taught not how to shoot but how to swim.

The man who finds fault when his newspaper is damp is equally dissatisfied when it is dry.

A bright scholar recently stated in a composition that dough nuts were first made in Greece.

The origin of the expression "raining cats and dogs," is probably the same as "Hailing omnibuses."

The belief that fish is brainy food is accounted for by the fact that fish are always found in schools.

When a couple come to the conclusion that they will marry it is a tie vote and the clergyman must cast it.

The toper has his little high and the laborer has his hire, but it is the elevator boy who gets the hoist.

It is a curious fact that one of the most prolific of insects is never more than an ant to her own children.

It is singular that a tailors has never been nominated for a mayor, for a good one knows all about men and measures.

The proposed diamond "trust" is a reprehensible enterprise. It means simply the formation of a big diamond ring.

"Let us have a tax on luxuries," cried a public speaker, and when he found three carpet tacks in his pie that noon he was satisfied.

"My dear," tearfully said the mother-in law to the bride, "you have taken my only son from me. In fact, you have committed a male robbery."

A clergyman says: "I once married a handsome young couple, and as I took the bride by the hand at the close of the ceremony and gave her my warmest congratulations, she tossed her pretty head, and, pointing to the bridegroom, said, 'I think he is the one to be congratulated.'"

The Height of Ocean Waves.

[New York Home Journal.]

A writer in the Liverpool *Mercury*—a captain of the mercantile marine—has taken great pains to take what are probably the most careful observations as to the height of ocean waves in a gale which have ever been recorded. He made them during a voyage round Cape Horn and to do it he went up in the main rigging, to get, if possible, the top of the wave coming up astern in a line of sight from the mast to the horizon at the back. The reason he selected the mainmast was this, that as a rule it is nearly amidships and when the sea is running the sea ahead and from aft lifting the two ends, forming a hollow amidships (the actual foot of the wave below the mean draught equal to the sight elevation) and the observer necessarily is above the true height. It was a difficult operation, but the captain obtained some good observations, making the height of the waves on the mast. On measuring the distance from these to the main draught he found them to be as follows: 64, 61, 58 and 65 feet respectively, varying in length from 750 to 800 feet.

A Curious City.

[City of Mexico Cor. Albany Jornal.]

Imagine a city with most of its streets narrow, muddy and crowded, where the seller of lottery tickets takes the place of the newsboy, where the pavers of the street, the conductors of the cars, the clerks in the stores, the policemen on their beats, the soldier with his musket, the barefooted men and women who peddle their wares and the very beggars at the doorways all smoke cigarettes or cigars. The street cars carry the coffined dead to the cemetery, with the mourners in the cars that follow. Men, women and children, half naked and without shoes, bear the burdens that we put upon drays and wagons; water carriers peddle the limpid fluid from the aqueducts from house to house. Every other woman has a baby dangling contentedly from a sack upon her back. Imagine the picture and you get a glimpse of the street scenes that you look upon about the great plaza, facing the costly palace and the magnificent cathedral of the City of Mexico.

Affliction.

[Henry Blount in Wilson Mirror.)

The most beautiful flowers of Christian character are those which are planted amid tears upon the rocky banks of the river of affliction, and the sweetest music of religious comfort is heard in the God-swept notes of its murmuring current; for amid the wild surging of its roaring and splashing waters all earthly sounds are deadened; and it is then we catch the pure, sweet divine, Heaven-given melody of that "still, small voice," breathing out in accents rich and sweet the precious blessings of the comforting promise: "My peace I give unto you; not as the world giveth, give I unto you."

State Statistics

(Asheville Citizen.)

North Carolina in 1880 had a population of 1,360,750. Of these there were 463,975 that could not write. Under the provisions of the Blair educational bill she would receive for the first year $522,647.41; the second year $746,029.14; the third year $1,119,958.70; the fourth year $970,630.87; the fifth year $821,303.06; the sixth year $671,975.23; the seventh year $52?,647.31; the eighth year $373,310.57. The total amount being $5,749,121.37.

The arrows of wit ought always to be feathered with smiles. When they fail in that, they become sarcasm, and out like two-edged swords.

Kind treatment is an equivalent of food.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SENATE—TENTH DAY.

The Senate to-day settled the dispute as to the Halifax contested election case by giving T. L. Emry the seat.

A bill was passed allowing the commissioners of the town of Southport to convey certain lots.

The session of the House was short. A resolution was presented as a substitute—but was not taken up—in regard to the Blair bill, providing that any funds received under the bill be apportioned upon the basis of illiteracy, and be disbursed and controlled exclusively by State agencies.

A select committee is to be raised to take in charge all matters in relation to the Governor's Mansion, ascertain the cost and sum needed to complete it.

Bills were introduced providing for statistics of crime, and for an agricultural and mechanical college for the colored race. Bills were passed allowing Jones, Beaufort and Richmond counties to levy special taxes.

Richard Carver was declared to be entitled to the seat from Graham County. The contestant was J. L. Crisp.

ELEVENTH DAY—SENATE.

To-day the Senate cast its vote for United States Senator. Mr. Pou placed in nomination, for the Democratic party, Hon. Matt. W. Ransom. Mr. Lusk placed in nomination Mr. Oliver H. Dockery. Messrs. Blair, Lyon and Moore seconded the nomination of Hon. Matt. W. Ransom; Mr. Rice seconded the nomination of Mr. Dockery. On the ballot, Ransom received 33 votes and Dockery 13 votes.

HOUSE.

In the House, Mr. Phillips introduced a resolution to allow Nash county to levy a special tax.

Mr. Dills, to amend the public school laws so that the school fund shall be paid directly into the State Treasury.

A resolution was taken up instructing the committee on railways to look into the matter of the North Carolina Railroad. Mr. Baird spoke on the condition of the road. He said the company which had leased it is not complying with the contract, and proper steps should be taken to protect the State's interest. The House adopted the resolution.

The Speaker announced Messrs. Lyon and Walser as tellers in the election for Senator. At noon Mr. Lyon, of Bladen, nominated Hon. M. W. Ransom; Mr. Walser nominated O. H. Dockery. Mr. Carter seconded the nomination of Ransom, and Amis, of Granville, seconded the nomination of Dockery, The result of the ballot was announced—Ransom 80; Dockery 30.

A resolution in regard to the Blair Education bill (substitute offered by the committee on Education) was taken up and passed by a vote of 99 to 8.

Advantage of Being a Blonde.

[American Hairdresser.]

Every year we get the cry from fashion writers, "Blondes no longer in style; they have been superseded by their darker sisters," etc. Now, that's all nonsence. You cannot do away with the blonde, nor can you do away with frizzled, banged hair. Pre-eminently, the blonde is the beauty of civililization. She is among us, to stay as such, and she cannot be driven away. A brunette now and then may rise supreme over her by reason of wonderful loveliness, but we are speaking collectively. A woman can dress more effectively with blonde hair than with dark. It lights up better and is more youthful. A well kept blonde has ten years' advantage, in point of youthful looks, over the average brunette. Once in a lifetime or so there arises a miraculous brunette who completely surpasses her, but for steady, ordinary good looks that make no pretentions of great beauty, the blonde carries the palm. You cannot expunge her in favor of the brunette even in literature. In the novels turned out during the past year there have been 382 blondes to 100 brunettes.

"Listen to the Mocking Bird."

[Toledo Blade.]

That very popular song, "Listen to the Mocking Bird," has been whistled, played and sung until it has gained such widespread popularity that it has really earned a national reputation. It was first published in 1885 by Septimus Winner, who, at this day, has a music store in Philadelphia. It at once took the popular ear, and has been ground out in every musical form and shape for a lifetime. The profits from its sale have reached $10,000, probably the largest amount realized from a musical composition of its class. Even to this day one often hears this favorite melody. All professional whistlers give it with variations to an admiring audience. Hand organs grind it out, and every new beginner on the piano is sure to include it in his simple repertoire. Other popular songs have their day, and are soon forgotten and make way for something newer. But the Mocking Bird seems to be almost immortal, and continues to charm the ear of each rising generation.

A Girl's Essay on the Cow.

(Exchange.)

The following is a little girl's essay on the cow: "A cow is an animal with four legs on the under side. The tail is longer than the legs, but is not used to stand on. The cow kills flies with her tail. The cow has big ears that wiggle on hinges; so does her tail. The cow is bigger than the calf, but not so big as an elephant. She is made so small that she can go into the barn when nobody is looking. Some cows are black and some hook. A dog was hooked once. She tossed the dog that killed the cat that worried the rat. Black cows give white milk; so do other cows. Milk men sell milk to buy their little girls dresses, which they put water in and chalk. Cows chew cuds, and each finds it own chew. That is all there is about cows."

The words "selah" and "mizpah" are Hebrew and occur in the Scriptures. The former is of double meaning, occurring frequently in the Psalms. It is supposed to signify silence or a pause in the music of the song, and again to signify that special attention is to be given to the subject. "Mizaph" signifies, the "The Lord watch between you and me, when we are absent from one another."

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"THE OBSERVER" ENTERS ITS PROTEST.

A careful review of the proceedings of the General Assembly of North Carolina now in session at Raleigh, discloses the fact that a bill has already been introduced in the House to "appropriate out of the funds on hand in the Treasury," "adequate to the demands of the occasion," of course, a sufficient amount of money for the establishment of a colored Orphanage and a colored Mechanical College at some point in the State, hereafter to be named.

Not that we cherish in our hearts the slightest ill-will or "malice aforethought" for the colored man in his onward march to a more enlightened and progressive age; not that we wish to disfranchise him of his right of suffrage; not that we wish to deny him of any of the rights and liberties of our common law, for the negro enjoys today rights and privileges, the exercise of which no man questions for a moment, but THE OBSERVER wishes right here and now to enter its most solemn protest against the appropriation of one cent of the funds now in the State Treasury of North Carolina for the establishment of a negro Orphanage or "colored Mechanical College," here or elsewhere, and we believe we but voice the sentiment of ninety-nine out of every one hundred white men in the State in making this declaration.

In the first place such an appropriation was never asked for by, or made for, the establishment of such an institution for the whites, who are really the tax-payers into the State Treasury. Then again the white people of North Carolina are taxed already, year in and year out for the maintenance and support of a colored insane asylum at Goldsboro, and a system of graded schools throughout the length and breadth of the land, the equal of the whites in almost every particular in point of facilities for acquiring the rudiments of an English education and self-improvement, morally and otherwise. From one end of the State to the other—from center to circumference—the country is spotted with school houses for the enlightenment and advancement of the colored child as well as for the Caucasion. How do they appreciate it? The "hand-writing on the wall" is indeed so plain that even "he who runs may read" that their most demonstrative appreciation is by marching to the polls at every election in one solid phalanx and casting their ballots directly against the best interests of the whites. Is it reasonable to suppose that the whites will tolerate this state affairs always without murmuring? Hardly. Recognizing the gulf that separated slave from master, the whites have diligently and patiently endeavored to turn the negro from the error of his way, convince him of whom his real friends consisted, and teach him that his interests were our interests, and that our interests were his interests, from a business standpoint. But the whites are only waking up to a realization of the futility of their efforts in this direction, with exceedingly few exceptions—probably one in a thousand. And notwithstanding the appeal made to the negro on every stump for lo, these many years that the whites *are* their friends; that the whites have befriended them in every time of need; that the whites have built asylums for those of their unfortunate race upon whom the Almighty God in his infinite wisdom and mercy has seen fit to lay the heavy hand of affliction; that the whites have enacted such legislation as was best for them, individually and collectively; that the whites have met them half way and divided equally the school fund, giving as much, per capita to the colored child as to the white; we say notwithstanding all this, the colored man has, almost without a single exception, turned a deaf ear to all our petitions and pleadings, and not only voted but worked against the election of the white man's ticket, when the colored man's interests would have been best sub-served by the election of the white man's ticket.

We are opposed therefore, to further augmenting our burdens on this score, and favor allowing the negro every opportunity to raise funds within themselves for the erection and maintenance of their institutions of every description until they find out and are convinced beyond a reasonable doubt as to who are their real friends. Such a policy might require a slight change in our constitution, but such a policy could hardly be objectionable on plausible grounds by either side. If, on the contrary, the negro would go hand in-hand with the white man in developing our resources, utilizing our raw material and building up our waste places, the circumstances and surroundings would be altogether different; but so long as the negro recognizes the white man as only his open and avowed enemy, and acts toward him accordingly, just so long will the chasm grow wider between the two races, and just so long as the white man can be depended upon to abundantly take care of himself.

We are not slow to recognize the fact that negroes are made the 'hewers of wood and drawers of water' for their political bosses, and rather sympathize with them in their weakness to resist such encroachments, and we have not thus spoken to alienate the colored man, but to sound a note of warning, in order that he may profit in the future by experience in the past.

"REPUBLICAN office-seekers will probably present Mr. Harrison with a gigantic axe." It is the general belief in these parts that Republican office-seekers had pretty generally "axed" Mr. Harrison already.

A MOVE IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

"The announcement in the OBSERVER last week that application would be made to the present Legislature for a charter for the extension of the Aberdeen and West End Railroad is of more importance to the town of Fayetteville than many suppose," says one of our most enterprising and influential citizens. This road is now being built from Blue's Crossing, or as it is now called Aberdeen, to Troy, N. C., and if any one will take the map of North Carolina, they will perceive that a line from Fayetteville to Troy through Aberdeen, will connect us with Salisbury, N. C., and will accomplish what the original projectors, of what is now the C. F. & Y. V. intended, as its destination. It will accomplish what all the old time folks of Fayetteville had so much at heart. If there be a road that will tend to build up Fayetteville and the entire State, it will be this one, as it will empty into Fayetteville first and our own city by the sea, Wilmington next, the products of the West, instead of as now, of building up Norfolk and Richmond at the expense of Fayetteville and Wilmington. While Mr. Page had no thought (in the beginning of his road) of opening up the old North Carolina system, he has by his enterprising spirit, made those who study the map of the country see that it is the natural line for trade to flow, and that our old customers of long ago, who traded here in wagons, knew that the nearest point of trade was the cheapest and best. And what was done, in former days can and will be done again, if proper efforts are made. History repeats itself. Now to the end that the road in question may be built, and that Fayetteville may have another outlet for extending her commercial intercourse with the West, and opening up another avenue for support to the wholesale and retail trade of this place, let Fayetteville put her shoulder to the wheel and with a strong pull and a long pull, and a pull altogether, we may reasonably anticipate a speedy completion of the project.

NEWS AND COMMENT.

OUR congratulations to Josephus Daniels upon his re-election to the position of State printer.

R. Y. MCADEN'S estate is valued at $960,000; the largest ever recorded in Mecklenburg county.

TO all cold waves en route to this section of our moral vineyard: Come early and avoid the rush.

ALL North Carolina will mourn at the loss Senator Vance sustained Monday of this week by the removal of one of his eyes.

WHAT does Mr. Bayard think of Bismarck's organ declaring that "no treaty regarding the neutrality or independence of Samona exists?"

"MAHONE says the negro is a heavy load for the Republicans to carry." Mahone ought to know, having carried them with him for the last twenty years.

FORAKER, that little fool who happened to be elected Governor of Ohio, is getting ready to explode. One more race racket down South will do the work.

OUR tariff champion, Zeb. Vance has not only mastered the tariff, but has taken the "laurel from Virgil's brow" and developed into a full-fledged poet.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Boston *Globe* asks: "What is the entire negro vote of the United States?" The *Globe* won't fall far below the mark if it answers "Republican."

UPON the final passage of the Senate substitute for the tariff bill, Senators Vance and Ransom very wisely went on record as voting in the negative on the substitute.

"GENERAL Mahone says of Mr. Blaine: 'His friends want him in the Cabinet for purposes of their own.'" There's the difference; Mahone wants to get in the Cabinet for Mahon's purposes.

"THE Greensboro *North State* ascribes the defeat of the Republicans in this State last fall to the Farmer's Alliance." Then who is it that says the Farmers Alliance is not a noble band of brothers?

"SENATOR Allison is said to be a favored but very unwilling candidate for the Treasury portfolio." Rats! Police!! Murder!!! Could anything be more astounding than the assertion that Allison would refuse the Treasury portfolio.

IN the death of Rufus Yancey McAden, of Mecklenburg, Charlotte sustains the loss of one of her most successful and enterprising citizens, Mecklenburg county and the State, a man in every sense of the word, whose shoes will be hard to fill.

THE reunion of Confederate veterans at Raleigh last week presented a scene that not only brought tears to many eyes, but one that will long be remembered by those who carry the empty sleeve and wooden leg and last but by no means least, the "scars of many battles."

BOULANGER scored another victory last Sunday and is the proudest man in Paris to-day. Really his victory is more sweeping in its scope, more telling in its force and more significant in its meaning than even the most sanguine Boulangist on the Boulevard would have dared to predict one short week ago.

WANNAMAKER'S racket, to the effect that he "contemplated starting at once upon a three months visit to Europe," was rather a game of "draw poker" on Mr. Harrison as the next mail brought a dispatch for the great Philadelphian to visit Indianopolis without delay. Other portfolio aspirants might pursue a similar policy; for instance, Mr. Platt might take his passage for Chilli; Warner Miller need not, perhaps, go further than British Columbia, where he could get snowed in; General Alger might engage a ship for Samoa, where military operations of an exceedingly interesting character are now going on. General Mahone would be safe in divulging the startling fact that he meant to retire permanently to the shades of Petersburg. Forraker, we believe, would need to announce a voyage to Brazil to even hope for a call to Indianapolis; and Mr. Blaine could not reasonably expect to alarm Mr. Harrison with any thing less than that he was going to the North Pole.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SENATE.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 23.—After the announcement of the result of the Senatorial election in joint session to-day, the Senate resumed business.

The resolution offering a premium for the largest quanity of grain per acre was indefinitely postponed. The following bills passed a final reading: To incorporate the State Bank of Commerce at Hendersonville; for protection of oysters in Pamlico and Roanoke, (makes it unlawful to take oysters except for immediate use and sale in North Carolina); for the establishment of a patrol for oyster beds; for the election of cotton weighers in Salisbury and Charlotte; to allow the commissioners of Shelby to vote on a tax for a fire company; to authorize a local option election in the town of Washington; to incorporate Bethany College, Robeson county; to allow the sheriffs of Tyrell and Dare until April 1st to collect State Taxes; to provide additional educational facilities for the Croatan Indians of Robeson county, (excludes from their schools negroes to the fourth generation); to incorporate Antioch Methodist Protestant Church, Union Co.; to abolish the June term of the Superior Court for Watauga; to amend the charter of the Western Carolina Savings Bank; for the relief of E. W. Taylor, sheriff of Brunswick.

HOUSE.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections reported in favor of sitting members Anthony and Taylor.

A resolution was introduced giving the public printing to the lowest bidder.

Bill making changes in the public school law as agreed on by the committee on Education, is as follows: The County Superintendent is made treasurer of the School Fund; the school year to end the last day of June, and all reports must correspond thereto. The County Commissioners of each county, in joint session with the Justices of the Peace, may submit to the people the question whether a school tax shall be levied not exceeding one-fifth of one per cent. on property, and sixty cents on the poll.

The House received the Senate in joint session, and resumed business at 12:30.

Bills were introduced to amend the charter of the Western Carolina Savings Bank; abolish the Inferior Court of Swain county.

Bill changing the name of the Western Carolina Savings Bank to the Western North Carolina Bank, passed.

Bill authorizing Montgomery county to levy a special tax, passed.

SENATE.

RALEIGH, Jan. 24.—In the Senate to day the bill to regulate Solicitor's fees was tabled. Bills were recommitted, to prohibit the sale of pistols, and to amend the public road laws. Bill to punish resistance to police officers passed; also bill to regulate the sale of seed cotton. Bill authorizing commissioners of Beaufort county to levy a special tax for payment of indebtedness, passed second reading. Bill to relieve grand jurors of the different counties from coming into open court, except when the death penalty is pronounced, was passed; also, to prevent the sale of liquor within three miles of Beaver Dam Church, in Union county. Bill to make four feet the lawful height for a fence, was recommitted. Bill to prohibit the sale of liquor near Bushy Ford Church, Wautauga, was referred. Bill to protect telegrams and letters, making it a misdemeanor to make known the contents, passed; also bill to abolish the January term of Halifax Superior Court; also bill to reimburse purchases of certificates on account of building the Tuckasegee road to Jackson county.

Bills were introduced to authorize contracting for public printing to the lowest bidder; for the relief of J. H. Wheeler, of Anson; to give magistrates power to dispose of mortgaged property, not exceeding $5; relative to continuances in court; concerning justices of the peace; to amend the charter of Murphy, Cherokee county; to incorporate the Milton and Yanceyville railroad, to authorize the sheriff of Orange to collect arrears of taxes; to provide for the drainage of lands in Henderson county; to suppress riots during political assemblages; to prevent the sale of liquors within two miles of Bethlehem Church, Hertford county.

A resolution appointing a joint select committee on pensions (three of the Senate and five of the House) passed. Messrs. Little, Lucas, and Lusk are the Senate committee.

Calendar—Bill to allow the commissioners of Henderson county to build the jail—passed third reading.

Bill to change the time of holding court in Granville county, passed a third reading.

Bill to authorize the commissioners of Shelby to issue bonds, passed a third reading.

HOUSE.

In the house, a resolution was introduced attacking the present county government system. The following bills were introduced: To incorporate Dunlop, Anson county; to amend the charter of the Burgaw & Onslow railroad; to amend the law relative to savings banks; to give Vance county power to elect Representatives; to make ten hours a day's work; to enable school districts to supplement the school fund by assessment; relating to the tax on dogs; to incorporate Franklin, Macon county.

The committee on Privileges and Elections agreed to seat L. D. Baucom, the sitting member from Wake.

The Senate resolutions to appoint a joint committee on Pension was adopted.

The following bills passed a third reading: To incorporate Greenleaf Lumber county; to authorize Brunswick county to levy a special tax; prohibiting the placing within ten yards of public roads in Robeson county, objects to frighten horses; to incorporate the Bank of Rocky Mount.

The bill to work public roads by taxation was tabled.

A bill passed second reading allowing the rudiments of agriculture to be taught in public schools at the discretion of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The following committees were announced:

House branch on Pension—Sutton, McCubbins, Cherry, Holman, Phillips, Hood and Marsh.

House branch on Printing, Draughton, McGill Stephens, Ringwood and Holman.

The bill amending the Code, to elect county commissioners by the people, was tabled.

THE NEWS OF A WEEK BRIEFLY TOLD.

THURSDAY.

A number of bills were presented in the Senate yesterday, and a concurrent resolution passed for counting the electoral vote and making declaration of the person selected President and Vice President. The bill to declare unlawful trusts and combinations in restraint of trade and production was considered, but went over to allow amendments which will increase its stringency; the sundry civil appropriation bill was considered in the House. —— The Elkhorn striking miners in West Virginia want to go to work, but the Pocahontas miners say they shall not do so; the men have asked for troops to protect them. —— A county treasurer in Dakota is $14,000 short in his accounts. —— James A. McCool, a prominent citizen of Atlanta, committed suicide by hanging. —— Amendments to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill were reported in the Senate yesterday, appropriating $600,000 for the execution of the obligations and protection of the interests of the United States existing under the treaty between this government and the government of the Samoan Island. —— Fourteen thousand coke workers, in the Connellsville region, Pennsylvania, will hold a meeting on Saturday to consider the advisability of striking if their scale is not accepted by the proprietors. —— A bold attempt to rob an express car of a large sum of money was made on the Cincinnati Southern Road yesterday morning.

FRIDAY.

In each House of Congress yesterday, the death of Hon. James N. Burnes, of Missouri, who died yesterday morning at 12 40 o'clock, was announced and appropriate resolutions offered, after which adjournments took place. —— Cottonmen in Augusta, Ga., estimate the cotton crop at 7,000,000 bales. —— For the present Canada will issue no more fishing licenses for American vessels. —— Over six hundred families of settlers have been driven from the Oklahoma country by U. S. troops. —— "Moonshiners" in Northwestern South Carolina are becoming very defiant; they attacked a party of revenue officers early yesterday morning and wounded one of them. —— The sheriff of Boyd county, Ky., has decamped, leaving his accounts $14,000 short —— An agent of the United Life Insurance Company of Hartford is a defaulter to the amount of $500,000.

SATURDAY.

Total receipts of cotton at all of the ports since September 18th, 4,309,493 bales. —— An English missionary and fourteen of his followers have been murdered by the coast tribes and natives of Zanzibar. —— A delegation from Virginia visited Washington yesterday in the interest of the tobacco growers, but while securing no formal hearing, assurances were given that a bill abolishing the tobacco tax will pass the House by a large majority when it comes before that body. —— Severe shocks of earthquake have occurred in Colorado accompanied by a peculiar phenomenon. —— Dun & Co., report a perplexing state of trade; transactions are large, but there is a general complaint of dullness; failures during the week number 342, against 387 last week —— The employes of the horse car lines of the Atlantic Avenue Railroad Co., Brooklyn, went out on a strike yesterday.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY.

The Senate was not in session yesterday; in the House to-day the Mills tariff bill, with Senate substitute therefor, was presented and sundry propositions were made as to its disposition, but it finally went to the committee on ways and means. —— Dispatches from various points in Dakota report a furious wind and snow storm. —— A strike of considerable proportions prevails in Liverpool among seamen and fishermen, and a strong police force has been called out to preserve order. —— A negro killed his employer in New Iberia, La., Friday evening, and while being taken to jail by officers, was set upon by a mob and killed by a single pistol shot. —— Four negro children were burned to death in Oglethorpe, Ga., yesterday, while their mother was at work away from home.

TUESDAY.

Very little business of interest was transacted in the Senate yesterday. —— A prominent politician has been arrested in West Virginia, charged with bribing a voter. —— The Italian Parliament was opened yesterday by King Humbert in person. —— Sunday was Emperor William's birthday, when he received a large number of distinguished personages. —— The Inter-State Commerce Commission has promulgated an opinion on the subject of passenger tariffs and rate wars, which is of very general interest.

One Who Will Make A Good Paper.

(North Carolina Presbyterian.)

Mr. Geo. H. Haigh has retired from the editorship of the *Fayetteville Observer* and Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, formerly of the *Greensboro Patriot* takes charge as editor and proprietor. Mr. Haigh assuredly deserved pecuniary success in his administration and may for aught we know have abundantly secured it. Mr. Whitehead, we know personally as a clever gentleman and the constituency of the *Patriot* when under his charge know him as one who will make a good paper In his salutatory he says: "No one need suppose for a moment that I shall ever "twist my tongue or stifle my conscience" in giving expression to my sentiments on the current topics of the day when a principle is at stake." With this declaration before us, we heartily bid him Godspeed, and trust that he may be morally and pecuniarily sustained.

Has Plenty of "Git Up and Git," Not Afraid to Express Honest Sentiments.

(Wilson Advance.)

The Fayetteville OBSERVER changed hands last week. Brother Haigh, who has with such conspicuous fairness and faithfulness edited that excellent paper, has sold out to Brother Z. W. Whitehead formerly editor of the Greensboro *Patriot*. He is a good newspaper man, has plenty of "git up and git" and is not afraid to express his honest sentiments. We wish him success—abundant success—and we know he will receive the cordial and hearty co-operation of many of the best people in this broad land.

Up to the Standard.

(News of Oxford.)

Mr. G. H. Haigh, for two years past Editor and Proprietor of the Old Fayetteville OBSERVER, has sold out to Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, late of the Greensboro *Patriot*. Bro. Haigh has given the reading public a splendid paper. Mr. Whitehead has experience and ability and the initial number of the 17th inst., promises to keep the old paper up to standard. We wish him all success.

An Able, Clear and Wholesome Paper.

(From Raleigh News & Observer.)

Mr. Geo. H. Haigh has retired from the ownership and editorial control of the Fayetteville OBSERVER and is succeeded by Mr Z. W. Whitehead, late editor and proprietor of the Greensboro *Patriot*. Both gentlemen have our very best wishes. Mr. Whitehead has also proven ability in the same direction. The OBSERVER will continue an able, clean and wholesome paper.

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The New Management Welcomed.

(Maxton Union.)

Mr. G. H. Haigh, of the Fayetteville OBSERVER retires from journalism, and commends all his patrons to the earnest support of his successor, Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, late of the Greenboro *Patriot*. We welcome Mr. Whitehead as a near neighbor.

Will Not Fall Below the High Standard.

(From the Clinton Caucasian.)

Mr. Geo. H. Haigh has sold the Fayetteville OBSERVER to Mr Z. W. Whitehead, of Greensboro. Mr. Whitehead is a man of considerable ability and experience in the field of journalism and, in his hands, the OBSERVER will not fall below the high standard it has enjoyed under the management of its former editors.

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TRY IT ONCE.

To the man who has tried every other remedy for Blood Poisons, we commend the following experience of a well-known woman:

SHE had TRIED EVERYTHING ELSE.

CLOVER BOTTOM, Sullivan County, Tenn., June 18, 1887—*Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga.:* Sir—I have been thinking of writing to you for some time to let you know of the wonderful cure your B. B. B. has affected on myself and daughter. She, a girl of 16 years, was taken with a very sore leg below the knee. I called on the very best doctors that the country could afford, and they tended on her for four years to no purpose. Her leg got worse every year. I used about 30 bottles of other medicine to no purpose. The doctors said the only remedy left was amputation. That we all was opposed to. I was in Knoxville the 8th of January, 1886, and while buying a bill of drugs called for a good blood purifier, and Messrs. Sanford Chamberland & Co. recommended the B. B. B. I purchased one-half dozen bottles, and to my utter surprise after using three or four bottles my girl's leg was entirely healed. I also had a very ugly running sore on the calf of my leg and one bottle cured it, after having tried all other remedies. I wish you much success, and I do hope that all suffering humanity may hear and believe in the only true blood purifier. I have tried three or four other purifiers, but the B. B. B. is the only one that ever did me or mine any good. You can use my name if you wish. I am well known in this and Washington county, also all over Virginia. R. S. ELSOM.

BLOOD TAINT FROM BIRTH.

BOONVILLE IND., January 25 1887. I shall ever praise the day that you gentlemen were born, and shall bless the day that your medicine was known to me. I had blood poison from birth, and so much so that all the doctors of my town said I would be crippled for life. They said I would lose my lower limb. I could not stand in my class to recite my lessons, and eleven bottles of your Balm cured me sound and well. You can use my name as you see fit. In my case, there were knots on my shinbones as large as a hen's egg. Yours, MIRTLE M. TANNER.

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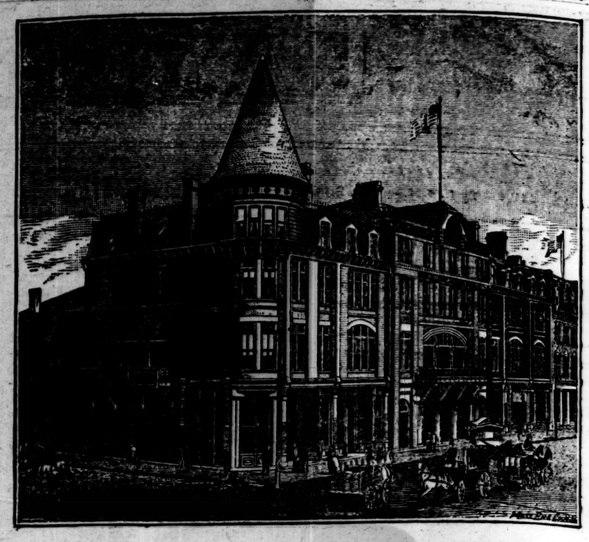

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The finest and freshest on the market. All kinds of Canned Goods.

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Apple and Peach Butter.

Jelly in any quantity, Pickles by the quart and gallon, Sweet, Sour and Mixed; Chow Chow, &c. Wood, Willow and Crockery Ware, lower than can be bought in this town.

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COON-SKIN CIGAR

Needs no mention. Cigarettes, etc. My line of

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A trial of our butter will convince you that there is no superior on the market. A standing order with our best farmers keeps me supplied with those

FINE YAM SWEET POTATOES.

All Goods Delivered Free.

Thanking the country at large for their liberal patronage, will promise in future as in the past, nothing but fair and honest dealing.

Respectfully,
ARCHIE McMILLAN,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Dec. 13. tf

Little River Academy.

A GOOD SCHOOL IN A GOOD LOCALITY.

Next term begins January 7th, and closes May 23rd, 1889. Thanking patrons, friends and the public generally for past favors, we beg leave to say that in addition to last term's course of study, we have added a well equipped MUSIC DEPARTMENT under the management of Miss Emma G. Phifer, an accomplished graduate and music medalist of Peace Institute, Raleigh, N. C., and are now prepared to give boys and girls, at cheap rates, any instruction necessary for a liberal education. We will be pleased to correspond with any one on the subject of education. Address

D. T. WILSON, Principal.
Little River Academy, N. C.
Jan'y 3, 1889. 1m

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Also an assortment of PETER HENDERSON'S SEEDS.

These latter need not be ordered direct as I will supply them at grower's prices.

Any novelty not in stock I will take pleasure in ordering.

PHILADELPHIA WHITE and YELLOW ONION SETS.

Call early and secure your supply.
Jan'y 24, 1889.

Y. M. C. A.

All Officers and Committees of the Young Men's Christian Association are requested to make written reports at the ANNUAL MEETING on the FIRST FRIDAY night in February.

On the same night the election of officers will take pince and other important business will be transacted.

All of the members are earnestly requested to attend. Respectfully.

H. McD. ROBINSON, President.
Jan'y 24, 1889. 2w

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the present session of the General Assembly of North Carolina for a charter for a Railroad from Aberdeen to Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 24, 1889. 4w

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THEY BACK IT UP.
B. E. SEDBERRY—Wanted.
YOUNG & CO.—Hotel Sanford.
W. W. HUSKE—Mortgage Sale.
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A. GARRASON—Genuine Seed Irish Potatoes.
GEO. A. BURNS—Mules and Horses for Sale.
ROBERT N. PRIOR—Substantials and Delicacies.
AUBURY B. BREWINGTON—Administrator's Notice.
N. W. RAY, R. S. HUSKE—Commissioners' Sale of Town Property.

Marriage License.

The Register of Deeds issued four marriage licenses during the past week, making a grand total of 17 for the month of January.

25 Tons Iron Rails.

The Steamer "D. Murchison" arrived here from Wilmington Monday with 25 tons of railroad iron for the Roanoke & Southern Railroad Company.

Still They Come.

Another car load of horses and mules from Wilkes county, arrived in the city Monday afternoon by way of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad.

Rumored.

It is rumored that the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad will upon the completion of the Wilmington extension, have its own lines of ocean steamers to New York, Baltimore and Norfolk.

Painful Accident.

A very painful accident befell a Mr. W. B. Guill while on his way to South Carolina a few days since, by which he lost three of his fingers, the result of some one on the inside of the car closing the door too quickly.

Off for Kansas.

Passengers on the train from Goldsboro arriving here by way of the Wilson Short Cut, inform us that one hundred and fifty negros left Goldsboro last Saturday for the State of Kansas, whither they go to reside in the future.

An Interesting Article.

We have a very interesting article for our next issue on Canada. It abounds in valuable knowledge, and will no doubt be read by not only our Canadian readers in this country, but Americans as well. The article was presented to the OBSERVER by one of our countrymen.

Mr. Goddard's Successor.

Mr. E. E. Howell, of Goldsboro, has been appointed agent for the Southern Express Company at this place vice F. F. Goddard resigned. The OBSERVER tenders Mr. Howell a hearty welcome to the Capital City of the famous Cape Fear, and trusts that his stay among us may be profitable and pleasant.

Enterprise Among the Colored Race.

The enterprise of the colored population of Fayetteville as evinced by the erection of a hotel near the depot for the accommodation of the colored population and travel, is something the OBSERVER points to with pride. It is indeed a credit to their public spirit, and redounds to their own glory.

An Unlucky Vicinity.

Dr. McNeill, our very excellent, polite and chivalrous coroner, informs us that including his trip last Thursday to Wade's Station, he has held during the past three years four separate and distinct inquests over dead bodies in that vicinity; only one of whom, he says, however, was a resident of that neighborhood.

Another Dividend.

News comes to us this week from Raleigh that within the next month the defunct State National Bank of Raleigh—which North Carolinians all over the State are interested more or less—will declare another ten per cent dividend. This will make a total of 40 per cent., and it now looks as if that will be about all the depositors will receive.

Judge MacRae Passes a Death Sentence.

Judge MacRae, of this city, who has been holding Northampton Superior Court during the past week, sentenced Eli Ward, a colored man, to be hanged March 8th, '89. Ward broke into the house of a Mr. Farmer only about three weeks ago, it is alleged, with the intent to kill Farmer and his wife. After some struggling between them Ward became frightened and beat a hasty retreat for Jackson where he was arrested to await trial.

Good News.

Since the Norfolk and Western connection with the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad beyond Mt. Airy has been definitely fixed upon, our people will be glad to learn that the N. & W. R. R. guarantees to the C. F. & Y. V. several hundred car loads of coal per day to Wilmington and points along the line of the latter. This will make the "city by the sea" a big coaling station, and greatly benefit Fayetteville as well, by giving us cheaper fuel, one of the necessary evils in winter.

Off for the Penitentiary.

Judge Merrimon passed sentence on the following during court here last week:

James Scrogler, larceny, 3 years; David White, attempt at criminal assault, 5 years; Bill Murley, larceny, 1 year; Andrew McIver, larceny 5 years.

Death Rate for December.

From the December report of she North Carolina Board of Health we learn that the death rate for North Carolina towns for the month of December, is as follows: Fayetteville 12.1; Durham 18; Charlotte 15.1; Goldsboro 12.1; New Berne 18.0; Raleigh 12.1; Washington 8.6; Wilmington 11.0; Henderson 12.1; Greensboro 12.1; Oxford 9.6.

A Feast of Joy.

The rendition of "Bread on the Waters" by the Fayetteville amateurs at Belmont Academy Tuesday night, proved a feast of joy for all present. Each part was acted admirably, and the actors respectively displayed decided talent. Round after round of applause greeted the conclusion of each act, besides enlisting the warmest praise from all sides.

Notice.

The Constitutional requirements having been complied with, I hereby call a *pro re nata* meeting of the Presbytery of Fayetteville, to be held in the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian Church in Fayetteville, at 11 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, February 12th, 1889, to consider Rev. A. L. Phillips' resignation of the pastoral charge of the Fayetteville church, and matters necessarily connected therewith.

DAVID FAILEY, Moderator.
Manchester. N. C., Jan'y 29, 1889.

Your Attention.

Is directed to the new adv., of A. Garrason, Irish potatoes for sale.

See notice of Hotel Sanford, Young & Co., proprietors.

If you need anything in his line, read what Geo. Burns has to say elsewhere.

Read the Commissioners' sale of city property, and admistrator's notice of Geo. Brewington.

Last, but by no means least, read Mr. Robt. N. Prior's announcement on this page.

Corn Mill and Cotton Gin in Ashes.

Senator W. L. Williams's grist mill and cotton gin on Little River, together with several bales of cotton, was burned to the waters edge on the night of 24th inst. The mill was a three story frame building and valued at $3,000, and was insured for $2,200 through the agencies of Col. J. A. Pemberton and McNeill & Co. of this place. The burning is thought to be the work of an incindiary, as this is the third fire in that immediate vicinity recently. Mr. Williams was in Raleigh at the time of the accident.

Township Meetings.

The Democrats of the different Townships in Cumberland will please meet at their various polling places on Feb'y 8th, 1889, and recommend to the representatives from Cumberland the names of such gentlemen as these meetings may wish appointed Justices of the Peace to fill the vacancies in their respective townships. The members of the Democratic Committees will please call meetings to order at 12 M., on the 8th day of Feb'y, and report the names of those chosen for Justices to our members of the General Assembly.

Respectfully, R. S. HUSKE,
Ch'n Dem. Ex. Com.

Pleasant Reminiscence.

We had the pleasure of meeting in town this week, Mr. W. H. B. Beatty, of Bladen. Mr. B. is one of the most influential citizens of his community; a typical tar-heel and a veteran soldier of the "lost cause." He was orderly sergeant of Company "C," Fourth Regiment N. C. State troops from '61 to '65, which position he filled with credit to himself and his Company alike, and was much interested in the article of our last issue relative to Capt. Sloan. His rehearsal of the days of long ago and familiarity with the ancestors of this writer, was indeed a source of pleasure. We would be glad to meet in our office more of the old landmarks of this section.

Let's Have It.

Located in the heart of one of the finest long-leaf pine regions in the old North State, Fayetteville should have a pine straw and fibre manufactory, to "develop our natural resources" and "utilize our raw material." It is not expected that we organize a stock company to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, but let's organize one on a smaller scale, say ten thousand dollars. Who seconds the motion? Such an industry here would give employment to many idle laborers and afford a home market for one of the inexhaustible resources or products of this county. Moreover, where these enterprises have been started they have proven a good investment and in almost every instance have yielded a handsome profit to the investors, What say you, gentlemen?

Settling State Taxes.

Since our last issue the following sheriffs have made their annual settlement of taxes with the State Treasurer:

J. E. McLain, Jackson county, taxes $1,705.94.
W. C. Abernathy, Gaston county, taxes $5,454.05.
W. F. Wompon, Alleghany county, taxes $1,103.72.
D. W. Fuller, Johnston county, taxes $7,762.45.
R. T. Hodges, Beaufort counth, taxes $5,377.27.
J. S. Cooper, Mecklenburg county, taxes $16,683.46.
M. N. Hamrick, Cleveland county, taxes $5,753.10.
E. M. Johnson, Pender county, taxes $2,377.41.
J. D. Haynes, Watauga county, taxes $2,225.86.
D. F. Sudderth, Cherokee county, taxes $2,572.86.

Wilkin Roddick No More.

The news of the death of Mr. Wilkin Roddick at his home in Wilmington on the 24th, will be received with profound sorrow by his many friends in this section. Commenting upon his death, the *Messenger* says:

Mr. Roddick was a man of infinite jest, full to the brim of the dry Scotch humor, and with a heart that always beat responsive to every human necessity. He was an honored member of the Cape Fear Club; an honored and welcome guest in every household, and a gentleman universally respected and beloved in this community. In his death Wilmington has lost a valued citizen, a prosperous merchant, and many of our best people a valued friend. Ae was ever kind and generous to the poor, just to his fellows, and genial with his companions; and as such the MESSENGER feels itself honored in paying this hasty tribute to his memory.

Mr. Roddick. it will be remembered, was the junior member of the firm of Brown & Roddick of this city.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, biliousness, sick headache, bilious headache, and all derangements of the stomach, liver and bowels.

A Fiendish Assault.

The news of a most diabolical crime comes to us this week from Greensboro. On Saturday night a Mrs. Brown, of Durham, was passing through Greensboro *en route* to Danville, Va., and while waiting at the depot for the North bound train, was informed by a couple of young men, whose names at last accounts have not been ascertained—that her "train was four hours late, and that she would have to either go to the hotel or sit up probably all night in the depot," whereupon Mrs. B. agreed, and decided to go to the hotel, when the two young men volunteered their services to accompany her thither. Without anticipating for a moment the dreadful and cruel fate that awaited her, she started on her journey; but instead of being escorted to the hotel, she was hurried away to the suburbs of the city, then and there robbed of two hundred dollars, knocked in the head with a club and her throat cut, and afterwards thrown into a ditch for dead. Providence provided and the would-be assassins failed in their dastardly work, and as the last resounding echo of their footsteps died away in their speedy retreat, Mrs. Brown emerged from her watery bed and quickly gave the alarm. Her cries were responded to with promptness, and aid was soon on the scene. A physician was dispatched for, and all medical aid promptly administered to the poor, suffering woman, but her condition is serious, if not fatal, and her suffering almost unbearable. The perpetrators of the barbarious act are thought to have hailed from Durham, where Mrs. Brown had made a sale of some land on the day of her departure for Danville. All good citizens should unite in their efforts to ferret out these would-be assassins, and deal them out speedy justice with an unsparring hand. Such cold-blooded acts of violence and outrages are becoming too common in a civilized community. Let the law take its course and they will meet with justice at the end of a rope.

They Back it Up.

The superior merits, as a blood-purifier and invigoarting tonic, possessed by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, warrant its manufacturers in selling it (as they are doing through druggists) under a *positive guarantee* that, if given a fair trial, it will evers all diseases arising from a deranged or torpid liver, as indigestion, or dyspepsia, and all humors, or blood taints, from whatever cause arising, as skin, scalp and scrofulous affections. The terms are, a benefit or cure, or money returned.

Particulars of the Wade's Station Tragedy.

The OBSERVER'S account of the Wade Station tragedy last week was gathered from what we considered a reliable source at the time, and was correct in the main, but caculated to mislead as to the character of the murderer. In order to get at the "true inwardness" of the affair, we give our readers this week the benefit of full particulars, prepared by one thoroughly familiar with the circumstances, which reads as follows.

"Miss Charity McAllister was the maiden sister of Col. Alexander McAllister, who was killed some years ago by lightning. She was 86 years of age, and resided with James McAllister and his wife, and Alexander McAllister (James son) and wife, at the old family residence about one and a half miles from Wade's depot.

On Wednesday morning last about 10 o'clock George Brewington appeared in the public road near the residence, a servant girl returning from the depot met him, and after some words, he ordered her to get behind him, which she did. He then started for the house, followed by the girl, but soon ordered her to stop, which she refused to do, and on account of such refusal he struck her down with a small stick, and on her getting up struck her down again. She then managed to make her escape, and entered the dwelling, but the white female inmates had by this time become alarmed, and closed and locked the doors, and the noise had attracted a small colored boy who lived in a tenant house near by. This boy was hurried off to the mill, about three-quarters of a mile distant for help. But by this time Brewington had advanced on the front door, forced it open and entered. Miss Charity McAllister, who occupied the first room, met him as he entered her room, and cautioned him to be careful how he acted. She was answered with a blow and an oath, that he intended killing her. The servant girl who had concealed herself behind the door, says she heard the fall and cry for mercy, and things became quiet, and she ventured to peep out, when she saw the dead body of Miss McAllister on the floor and Brewington warming his hands by the fire. She was detected at once, and rushed out of the house followed by Brewington threatening to kill her; that she ran around and dodged under the house; that failing to find her, he returned to the house and she made her escape towards the mill, but soon met Alex. Mc Allister running to the house. Alex. McAllister entered by the front door and finding his gun across the door way (it evidently having fallen there when the door was broken open) picked it up and finding it in condition, advanced to the door of his aunt, whom he found a corpse on the floor with the negro Brewington sitting across her chest, as if playing or disfiguring the head. He at once fired and killed Brewington instantly. The instrument used to commit the murder was a large oak club, and the corpse showed that after committing the murder that upon his second entrance he, to make doubley sure, had again set to, and beat the face and head beyond recognition, and tore the clothing from her person, even taking the shoes from her feet.

Brewington is a well-to-do colored man, living about one and a half miles below Fayetteville on Wilmington road, about 45 years of age. He wandered from home Monday night or Tuesday morning, and was evidently deranged at the time of committing the murder. It is said he has been deranged before."

The coroner's jury very wisely exhonorated Mr. McAllister by rendering a verdict of justifiable homicide.

Personals.

J. H. McKoy, of Dunn, was here a short while Tuesday.

A. B. Pearsall, of Red Springs, spent the day here Monday.

Miss Mattie Fuller is visiting Miss Maggie Pemberton of this city.

W. A. Guthrie, of Durham, was here on professional business yesterday.

Glad to see Mr. E. R. Fishlate of Greensboro, on our streets Monday and Tuesday.

"Sandy" Smith, the popular "knight of the grip sack," called on our merchants Tuesday.

Hon. Geo. M. Rose is attending New Hanover Superior Court in Wilmington this week.

Miss Mary Webb, of Richmond, Va., is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Mamie Moore.

Mrs. Manning and daughter, of Chapel Hill, are visiting Weldon Huske's family on Haymount.

Mr. D. R. Huffines arrived here Monday evening from Greensboro with a view to opening up a beer bottling and soda-water works at this place.

Mr. Willie Carr, of Greensboro, arrived in the city Monday, and has accepted a position in the shops of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. Company at this place.

A Sad Adieu to One and a Cordial Welcome to the Other.

(Wilson Mirror.)

The scholarly and accomplished and elegant George Haigh retires from the editorial chair of the Fayetteville OBSERVER, and the bold and brave and eloquent Whitehead late editor of the Greensboro *Patriot*, and by the way a writer of great pith and force and beauty and elegance, will assume the position so gracefully and so acceptably filled and adorned by the shining virtues of one of the most refined gentlemen who ever lent honor and dignity to North Carolina journalism. While regretting the incalculable loss of "this admirable Crichton" of the the press—the elegant and charming Haigh, we are rejoiced at the return of the brave and knightly Whitehead, whose brilliant and flashing blade has always cut with the skill of a Saladin's stroke, and fell with the force and effectiveness of the heavy and ponderous battle-axe of Richard Couer de Leon.

A sad and regretful adieu to the pure refined and beloved Haigh, a hearty, cordial welcome to the generous and kind hearted and nobly moulded Whitehead.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury,

as Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine, it is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co.

☞ Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

Every Home Should Have It.

It is not always convenient to call a Physician for every little ailment. Having Red Flag Oil in the house you have a Physician always at hand; it kills Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Burns, Bruises and all aches and pains. Price 25 cents.

There are few things in this life of which we may be certain, but this is one of them. Puritan Cough and Consumption Cure has no equal for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. Price 25 cents. At Pemberton & Prior's Drug Store.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

For Sale by B. E. Sedberry, Fayetteville, N. C.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

E. Bainbridge Munday, Esq., County Atty., Clay Co., Tex., says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with Malarial Fever and Jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: He positively believes he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters.

This great remedy will ward off as well as cure all Malarial Diseases, and for all Kidney, Liver and Stomach Disorders stands unequaled. Price 50c and $1 at B. E. Sedberry's.

Don't Experiment.

You cannot afford to waste time in experimenting when your lungs are in danger. Consumption always seems, at first, only a cold. Do not permit any dealer to impose upon you with some cheap imitation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, but be sure you get the genuine. Because he can make more profit he has something just as good, or just the same. Don't be deceived, but insist upon getting Dr. King's New Discovery, which is guaranteed to give relief in all Throat, Lung and Chest affections. Trial bottles free at B. E. Sedberry's Drug Store.

Don't Stand that Pain.

It don't do to neglect nature's warning, aches through the system cause Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Backache and Pain in the Side, a prompt and safe remedy is required, Red Flag Oil the famous pain cure fills the bill. Price 25 Cents.

Are you Consumptive or do you suffer with a Cough or Cold, if so use Puritan Cough and Consumption Cure. Price Cents. At Pemberton & Prior's Drug Store.

Fayetteville Enterprise.

The well known and popular Druggists Pemberton & Prior has taken the Agency for Dr. Lee's Liver Regulator which he recommends for the quick cure of Dyspepsia, Billiousness, Liver Complaint, and all Blood Troubles. Trial Bottles free.

It is a well known fact that Puritan Cough and Consumption Cure has cured Consumption and Chronic Coughs and Colds, when all else failed. Price 25 Cents.

MARRIED.

WILKES—KOONCE—In this county, Jan'y 20th, 1889, Mr. W. J. F. WILKES to Miss ANN ELIZA KOONCE, G. A. McDonald, J. P., officiating.

TAYLOR—EVANS—At the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. A. L Phillips, on the 23rd inst, at 2 p. m., Dr. ISAAC M. TAYLOR, of Morganton, to Miss SUE EVANS, of this county.

The bride is one of the Cape Fear's fairest and best accomplished daughters, and will be greatly missed by her many friends here.

The groom stands high in his profession, being the effecient assistant of Dr. Murphy, at the Western Asylum. His charming bride, whose intellectual attainments are marked, will be quite an addition to the cultured society of Morganton.

DIED

HARRISON—In Harnett county, on Sunday night last, Mr. CHAS. HARRISON, of pneumonia, aged 24 years.

RODDICK—In Wilmington, on the morning of the 26th of January, 1889, Mr. WILKIN RODDICK, in the 65th year of his age. The deceased was the junior member of the firm of Brown & Roddick.

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Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, trength and wholesomeness. More economical than he ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in cans.* ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co., 106 Wall street, New York.

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Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market

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Good Middling.....9¼
Middling.....9¼
Strict Low Middling.....8¼
Low Middling.....8¼
Strict Good Ordinary.....8¼
Good Ordinary.....7¼

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits yesterday 41 cents. Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 65 and 1.00 cents for common.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan'y 30 4:00 P. M

COTTON.—Cotton dull at 9¼ cents—basis Middling.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market dull at 43 cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 82½ cents per bbl. for strained and Good Strained.

Norfolk—Cotton steady at 9¼—basis Middling.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Substantials

—AND—

Delicacies

—OF—

Domestic and Foreign Products.

My specialties will be the packing and food products of

Messrs. E. C. Hazard & Co.,

whose goods for purity and excellence of quality are to-day unrivalled in the world.

Ask for my prices, name them to your neighbors and thus secure patrons for me.

Remember the price means

CASH ON DELIVERY.

North side of Person Street and fourth door from Market Square.

ROBERT N. PRIOR.

Jan'y 31, 1889. tf

WANTED,

A GOOD MILCH COW. apply to
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Mules and Horses for Sale,

—AT—

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Call early and get a Bargain. Prices to suit all classes of purchasers.

Horses and Vehicles of every discription to hire at short notice.

Jan'y 31, 1889. 2m

Commissioners' Sale of Town Property.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., made at the January Term, 1889, in the case of The Bergner and Engle Brewing Company against W. S. Jessup and wife, we, as Commissioners appointed by said decree, will, on Monday, March 4th, 1889, at 11 o'clock at the Court House in Fayetteville, expose to sale by public auction for cash, that valuable residence and lot on the corner of Green and Mason streets in Fayetteville, commonly known as "THE W. S. JESSUP HOUSE and LOT."

N. W. RAY,
R. S. HUSKE,
Commissioners.

Jan'y 29, 1889. ts

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of power of sale contained in a certain conveyance and also mortgage from A. S. Huske to the late Mary W. Hall, given to secure the payment of $1500, secured by note, dated respectively 27th of December, 1887, and 11th of October, 1888, and duly recorded in Book L, No. 4, pages 219 and 249 in Cumberland County Registry, I will expose to public sale at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., for cash, on Saturday, the second day of March, 1889, at 12 o'clock M., a house and lot in Fayetteville, on the west side of Dick street, the present residence of A. S. Huske, adjoining the lot of Heman Hall and others. This is very desirable property.

W. W. HUSKE,
Executor of Mary W. Hall, dec'd.
Jan'y 28, 1889. ts

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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FROM A

SEED FARM,

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Jan'y 31, 1889. tf

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Jan'y 31, 1889. 1m

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator on the estate of George R. Brewington dec'd, hereby notifies all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the estate to present them within one year from this date, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.

AUBURY B. BREWINGTON.
Jan'y 29, 1889. 6w

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HARPER'S WEEKLY has a well established place as the leading illustrated newspaper in America. The fairness of its editorial comments on current politics has earned for it the respect and confidence of all impartial readers, and the variety and excellence of its literary contents, which include serial and short stories by the best and most popular writers, fit it for the perusal of people of the widest range of tastes and pursuits. Supplements are frequently provided, and no expense is spared to bring the highest order of artistic ability to bear upon the illustration of the changeful phases of home and foreign history. A new work of fiction from the pen of William Dean Howells, and one by Capt. Charles King, will be among the leading features of the Weekly for 1889.

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Administrators' Notice.

The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator on the estate of Daniel J. McKeithan, dec'd, hereby gives notice to all parties having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned before the 10th day of January 1890, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All parties indebted to the estate are requested to come forward and make immediate payment.

DUNCAN K. RAY,
WILLIAM R. MAXWELL,
Administrators.

JOHN G. SHAW, Att'y.
Jan'y 10, 1889. 4t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXTRAORDINARY

CUTTINGS IN PRICES.

THE GOODS MUST GO.

On the 15th of February I will commence taking inventory of stock, and in consequence will, in the meantime continue to offer up to that date

CHOICE SELECTIONS FROM

The Largest Stock of Dry Goods in the State

AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

EVERYTHING MARKED DOWN TO MARVELLOUS LOW PRICES.

And to make this sale a little more interesting I have concluded to present some

Very Decided Attractions

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Even if you do not need them just now, it will pay you handsomely to lay in a supply now, as this is an opportunity rarely presented. Another item indispensable to all well regulated families is embraced at

Positive Cost.

I allude to a full and complete assortment of

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They will be sold quickly as the prices will convince you. I am only mentioning a few of the articles that go at Cost. It would take too long to go through the list. Life is too short for that, but I will mention a

BIG ATTRACTION

in which there is big money to the buyer.

EVERY STYLE AND QUALITY OF WRAPS

Cloaks, Newmarkets,

Jackets, Short Wraps,

AT PRECISELY COST.

If you have a new one it will pay you to buy another under the circumstances.

I am determined that these goods "must move" if concessions in prices is any inducement, and you are "standing in your own light" if you do not take prompt advantage of

THIS UNEQUALLED and UNEXAMPLED

CLOSING SALE.

As before stated this sale will continue until February 15th, and will be for Cash.

Frank Thornton

Jan'y 17, 1889. 3t

"H. H. H."

LIME,

Laths and Hair,

At

B. R. HUSKE & CO.'S.

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage executed by S. E. Hart and his wife Sarah A. Hart to A. H. Slocomb, and recorded in the Register's office, Cumberland County, in Book Z, No. 3, Page 403, and said note and mortgage having been assigned to me, the undersigned, on the 29th day of March, 1881, I will sell at public auction, two tracts of land described and referred to in said mortgage. First, containing one hundred and thirty acres, the same that was conveyed by Jonathan Hollingsworth to said S. E. Hart by deed, registered in Book P, No. 3, Page 448, Records Cumberland County. The second tract containing 27 acres conveyed to said S. E. Hart by deed from Effie McFadyen, June 17th, 1874, to which said deed reference is made for a more particular description, including the dwelling house wherein said S. E. Hart now resides. The 130 acres will be sold in whole or in parts to suit purchasers.

Time of sale: Saturday, February 9th, 1889, at 12 o'clock M.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, one-third six months, balance in twelve months. Titles reserved until full payments.

AMOS CARTER,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

R. S. HUSKE, Att'y.
Jan'y 10, 1889. ts

DWELLING HOUSE.

A LARGE and COMFORTABLE DWELLING near the centre of town.

Apply to

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Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of power of sale contained in a certain conveyance and mortgage from Wright Huske to the late Mary W. Hall, given to secure the payment of $1500, secured by note, dated respectively 27th December, 1887, and 13th October, 1888, and duly recorded in Book L, No. 4, Pages 219 and 258 in Cumberland County Registry, I will expose to public sale at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., for cash on Feb'y 7th, 1889, at 12 o'clock M., a tract of land containing 15 acres, lately owned by A. H. Worth, joining the lands of W. N. Tillinghast and W. W. Huske on Haymount, in vicinity of Fayetteville, upon which is a comfortable residence and all necessary outhouses and other improvements.

W. W. HUSKE.
Executor of Mary W. Hall, dec'd.
Jan'y 10, 1889. ts

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Jan'y 3. 5

HORSES and MULES.

100 head of HORSES and MULES for sale cheap for cash or on time with good notes.

W. D. GASTER, Ag't.
Nov 22,

The Vote in North Carolina for Governor in 1888.

The following is the official vote of North Carolina, by counties, for Governor in 1888:

	Fowle.	Dockery.
Alexander	952	552
Alleghany,	687	407
Ashe,	1,409	1,482
Anson,	2,241	966
Alamance,	1,741	1,517
Beaufort,	2,092	1,799
Bertie,	1,360	1,097
Bladen,	1,541	1,365
Brunswick,	1,023	965
Buncombe,	3,041	2,816
Burke,	1,247	1,165
Cabarrus,	1,645	933
Caldwell,	1,253	717
Camden,	598	602
Carteret,	1,075	676
Caswell,	1,358	1,697
Catawba,	2,360	756
Chatham,	2,546	2,029
Cherokee,	643	868
Chowan,	742	792
Clay,	393	283
Cleveland,	2,269	764
Columbus,	2,072	910
Craven,	1,408	2,637
Cumberland,	2,577	2,232
Currituck,	978	438
Durham,	1,815	1,617
Davidson,	2,018	2,335
Davie,	1,008	1,204
Duplin,	2,205	1,154
Dare,	326	307
Edgecombe	1,713	3,248
Forsyth,	2,259	2,584
Franklin,	2,204	2,041
Gaston,	1,584	1,236
Gates,	1,146	808
Granville,	2,406	2,601
Greene,	1,008	1,072
Guilford,	2,470	2,680
Graham,	271	191
Halifax,	2,495	2,897
Harnett,	1,444	877
Haywood,	1,328	991
Henderson,	917	1,291
Hertford,	1,132	1,202
Hyde,	854	758
Iredell,	2,724	1,897
Jackson,	908	569
Johnston,	3,021	2,099
Jones,	684	620
Lenoir,	1,587	1,436
Lincoln,	1,209	901
Macon,	780	742
Madison,	1,178	1,873
Martin,	1,687	1,300
McDowell,	1,020	858
Mecklenburg,	4,163	3,234
Mitchell,	698	1,563
Montgomery,	979	1,215
Moore,	1,955	1,846
Nash,	2,157	1,699
New Hanover,	1,880	2,836
Northampton,	1,659	1,990
Onslow,	1,180	425
Orange,	1,609	1,262
Pasquotank,	832	1,217
Pender,	721	757
Perquimans,	779	982
Person,	1,375	1,293
Pitt,	2,593	2,328
Polk,	436	418
Pamlico,	740	619
Randolph,	2,171	2,327
Richmond,	1,711	1,664
Robeson,	2,823	1,983
Rockingham,	2,395	2,101
Rowan,	2,739	1,266
Rutherford,	1,690	1,663
Sampson,	2,370	1,616
Stanly,	996	817
Stokes,	1,450	1,333
Surry,	1,673	1,575
Swain,	505	410
Transylvania,	520	553
Tyrrell,	472	367
Union,	2,032	997
Vance,	1,382	1,936
Wake,	4,618	4,943
Warren,	1,225	2,367
Washington,	807	1,014
Watauga,	895	945
Wayne,	2,781	2,561
Wilkes,	1,706	2,252
Wilson,	2,159	1,521
Yadkin,	1,071	1,419
Yancey,	940	789
Total,	149,592	135,980

Majority for Fowle, 13,612.

The above table has been in type for some time, but owing to press of matter has been crowded out.

AGRICULTURAL.

The First Week with Young Chicks.

[Farm and Fireside.]

The first week or ten days, in the management of young chicks, will be the period when the profit or loss is made. A young chick is almost naked, and what it requires, more than food or anything else is warmth. It should have a temperature of 90 degrees in a brooder, and for a week should not be given more than six inches of space around the brooder. If with hens, the chicks should not be allowed to go over a foot away from their mothers for the first three days, as they may get chilled. When once a chick is chilled the effects may not be noticed at the time, but in a few days it will have cold on the bowels, become clogged at the vent, and die. The success in raising young chicks in winter is to give them warmth. If kept warm, nearly all should be raised.

Gathering Corn.

We would reiterate our advice to gather the early corn as soon as possible. Corn planted early in March and the fodder pulled early in August will generally be ready for the crib by the 10th of September. If there is anything gained to the corn by allowing it to remain in the field one day after it will keep in the crib, we have never realized it. If the weather is dry, however, and the cotton fields are "white unto harvest," let the corn alone until a wet spell, or until the early cotton has been housed. The entire crop of corn may often be gathered during wet spells when it is impracticable to do anything else of equal importance. We think farmers lose much by failing to provide good rat-proof and thief proof cribs for their corn.

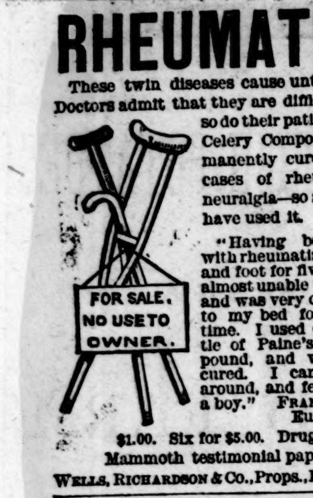
The Bureau of Agriculture in its recent report gives us some idea of what the farmers of this country are doing. The total amount of farm products of all sorts, including home-made wine, in 1879 was reported as $2,213,402,564. For the year ending with 1887 the amount is given as $3,727,218,984—an increase in eight years of one billion, five hundred and thirteen million, eight hundred and sixteen thousand four hundred and twenty dollars to the agricultural wealth of the country—and all this in the face of "generally decreased values." These figures not only show that the farmers have been active, but that farming pays well.

It is said that a horse-shoe nailed on the forward feet of a cow or steer will prevent jumping fences, as the foot cannot spread, hence the animal cannot spring.

In spare moments nail up the loose boards on fences, sheds and barns, rake up and burn all useless rubbish and put things generally in good trim for severe weather.

RHEUMATISM AND NEURALGIA

These twin diseases cause untold suffering. Doctors admit that they are difficult to cure—so do their patients. Paine's Celery Compound has permanently cured the worst cases of rheumatism and neuralgia—so say those who have used it.



"Having been troubled with rheumatism at the knee and foot for five years, I was almost unable to get around, and was very often confined to my bed for weeks at a time. I used only one bottle of Paine's Celery Compound, and was perfectly cured. I can now jump around, and feel as lively as a boy." FRANK CAROLI, Eureka, Nevada.

$1.00. Six for $5.00. Druggists. Mammoth testimonial paper free.

WELLS, RICHARDSON & CO., Props., Burlington, Vt.

"Paine's Celery Compound has been a Godsend to me. For the past two years I have suffered with neuralgia of the heart, doctor after doctor failing to cure me. I have now taken nearly four bottles of the Compound, and am free from the complaint. I feel very grateful to you." CHAS. H. LEWIS, Central Village, Ct.

Paine's Celery Compound

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For Sale
House and Lot on Haymount,
And a Very Valuable Plantation in Bladen.

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain deed of trust executed by Wright Huske to George P. McNeill, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book L. No. 4, Page 116, and in the office of Register of Deeds for Bladen County in Book of Mortgages, No. 5, Page 272, the following property will be exposed for sale by public auction, viz:

The Ann Hall house and lot on Haymount, north of Donaldson Academy grounds, adjoining Hon. Geo. M. Rose and J. C. Thomson. The lot is a large one and has all necessary outhouses and improvements thereon.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.
Time of sale: Thursday, Feb'y 7th, at 12 o'clock M.
Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance at six and twelve months, with interest from sale at eight per cent. Title reserved till all is paid.

Also, that valuable plantation in Bladen County, opposite Elizabethtown, on the Cape Fear River, consisting of several tracts of about seven hundred acres in all, of which about two hundred have been cleared. Said land is particularly described in a deed recorded in Book I I. Page 386, Registers office of Bladen County, and is one of the most valuable plantations lying on the Cape Fear River.

Place of sale: Elizabethtown, at the Court House door.
Time of sale: Tuesday, Feb'y 12th, at 12 o'clock M.
Terms same as above.
For further particulars apply to C. W. Broadfoot, Attorney, or GEO. P. McNEILL, Trustee.
Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 3. ts

Executor's Sale of Land.

By virtue of power contained in the Last Will and Testament of A. M. McLean, deceased, and as Executor to said will, I will sell for cash at public auction on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1889, at the Court House door in the town of Fayetteville, 700 ACRES of LAND, on Rockfish and Nicholson Creeks, in the County of Cumberland. Said land being part of the land known as the McCaskill place Now is the time for timber men and turpentine operators to buy a bargain.

For particulars call on Mr. John G. Shaw, Attorney, Fayetteville, N. C., or address the undersigned. This January 3rd, 1889.

WM BLACK, Executor,
Maxton, N. C.

Jan'y 10, 1889. 4t

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Call and examine before buying.

J. L. TATUM & CO.

Dec. 13, tf

Commissioner's Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court.

W. W. McDougald and wife Flora McDougald, John A. McDougald and wife Permellia J. McDougald, David G. Blue and wife Mary E. Blue.

vs.

Duncan C. McDougald, Annie McDougald, Maggie McDougald, Mattie I. McDougald—Infants.

Commissioner's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the power contained in an order of sale in the above entitled action this day made by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, by which the undersigned has been appointed Commissioner to make such sale, I will on Monday, the fourth day of February, 1889, at 12 o'clock at the Market House in Fayetteville, offer for sale for cash,

ONE STORE HOUSE

in the town of Fayetteville, situated on Gillespie street, adjoining the stores of E. J. Lilly and Ransom Burns.

Said store is in good repair and conveniently situated, being in the business portion of the town and a few yards from the Market House.

Title reserved until purchase money is paid.

JNO. G. SHAW, Commissioner.

Dec. 20, ts

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE OF LAND.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } Superior Court.

Mary D. McGill, Adm'x, vs. Maggie I. McGill et al, by their Guardian, Archibald McGill.

Administratrix's Sale of Land.

By virtue of the power contained in an order of sale of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, approved by his Honor Judge J. C. MacRae, in action therein commenced for the purpose of selling lands for assets, I will at the Market House, in the town of Fayetteville, on Monday the 4th day of February, 1889, sell to the highest bidder for cash, seventy acres of good farming and timbered land. Said land is situated in Seventy-first Township, Cumberland County, adjoining the lands of N R, Blue, J. C Townsend and others.

MARY D. McGILL, Adm'x.
JOHN G. SHAW, Att'y.
Fayetteville, N. C., Dec. 20, 6w

Sale of Valuable Swamp Land and Upland in Flea Hill Township.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, made on January 5th, 1889, in a certain cause therein pending wherein John A. McLaurin, administrator of John W. McLaurin is plaintiff, and the heirs-at-law of said John W. McLaurin are defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale as Commissioner, the following property, viz:

About fifty-five acres of fine swamp land, and one hundred and twenty acres of upland, lying in Flea Hill Township, and particularly described in the above named cause.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.
Time of sale: Thursday, Feb'y 14th, at 12 o'clock M.
Terms of sale: Cash.
For further particulars apply to
JOHN A. McLAURIN, Commissioner.
C. W. BROADFOOT, Att'y.
Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 10, 1889. ts

Valuable Store for Sale.

Under and by virtue of the power and authority given by certain mortgages executed by A. Moore and wife to E. J. Lilly and J. N. Peoples, which are recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book E, No. 4, Page 50, and in Book I, No. 4, Page 291, the following property will be exposed to sale by public auction, viz: The BRICK STORE and LOT now occupied by said Moore on Green Street, in Fayetteville, N. C. This store is convenient for business, and is one of the most desirable small stores in Fayetteville. Also, a small lot in rear of same.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.
Time of sale: Thursday, February 7th, 1889, at 12 o'clock M.
Terms cash.
For further particulars apply to A. Moore, C. W. Broadfoot, Attorney, or E J. LILLY and J. N. PEOPLES, Mortgagees.
Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 3. ts

Petition to Sell Land for Assets.

John A. McLaurin, Adm'r of John W. McLaurin, dec'd, vs. Mary Ann McLaurin and Benjamin McD. Guy and others.

Petition to Sell Land for Assets.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Benjamin McD. Guy, a defendant in the above entitled cause, resides beyond the limits of the State; it is therefore, on motion, ordered by the Court, that advertisement be made for six weeks successively in the Fayetteville Observer, a weekly newspaper published in the town of Fayetteville, County of Cumberland, notifying the said defendant of the filing of this petition, and that unless he appear on or before the 5th day of January, 1889, at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for said County of Cumberland, and answer the petition, the same will be taken pro confesso and heard exparte as to him.

Dated this the 15th day of December, 1888.

C. G. CAIN, Clerk Superior Court.

Dec 15, 6t

Petition to Sell Land for Partition.

NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court.

M A, Cade, Jno. McRoy and wife Lizzie,
against
A. McRimmon and wife Ann Amelia, Margaret, Joseph, Agnes, Laura, Archibald, Thompson, Blanche and Neill McRimmon and others.

Notice to Non-resident Defendants.

This is a special proceeding begun before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., by summons issued December 13th, 1888, and petition of plaintiffs filed same day for the purpose of having a sale and division of lands by the plaintiffs devisees under the will of the late William Cade, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that A. McRimmon and wife Ann Amelia, Margaret, Joseph, Agnes, Laura, Archibald, Thompson, Blanche and Neill McRimmon, defendants in the above entitled proceeding reside beyond the limits of the State; it is therefore, on motion, ordered by the Court, that advertisement be made for six successive weeks in the Fayetteville Observer, a newspaper published in the town of Fayetteville, County of Cumberland, notifying said defendants of the filing of this petition, and that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for said County of Cumberland, on the 31st day of January, 1889, and answer the petition, otherwise the relief demanded therein will be granted.

Dated this the 18th day of December, 1888.

C. G. CAIN, Clerk Superior Court.

Dec. 20, 6w

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sale for Taxes.

On Monday, the 4th day of February, 1889, I will sell at the Court House in Fayetteville, N. C., the following property to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy Taxes due "Fayetteville."

B. R. TAYLOR, Collector for Fayetteville.

Caroline Arnet, imp'd, Water st, '86, 1.50, '87, 2.00, '88, 2.00. $5.50.
J F Arnet, res near Junction, '87, 50 cts, '88, 2.00. 2 50
Archy Black's est, imp'd Broad st, 83, 4.00, 84, 5.50, 85, 5.50, 86, 5.50, 87, 3.50, 88, 3.50. 27.50.
Henry Brown, impd Worth st, 86, 2.01.
Elizabeth Brown, res Gillespie st, 83, 5.75, 84, 4 25, 85, 4.25, 86, 4.25, 87, 3.75, 88, 3.75, 26.00.
J D Boon, agt D A Davis, vac Person st, 86, 2.10, 87, 2.10, 88, 2.10, 6.30.
J H Benton, res Grove st, 86, 2.77, 87, 9.75, 88, 6.00, 18.52.
Ben Baldwin, est Council Hall land, 84, 3.12, 85, 3.00, 86, 3.00, 9.12.
C C Bell, res King st, 86, 4.25, 87, 4.75, 88, 4.75, 13.75.
Dallas Chesnut, impd Mechanic st, 87, 2.50, 88, 2.50, 5.00
Jackson Campbell, res Robeson st, 86, 1.56, 87, 3.00, 88, 3.00, 7 56.
Harriet Campbell, res Burgess st, 86, 3.25, 87, 3.00, 88, 3.15, 9.40.
Matthew J Cox, impd Mumford st, 86, 1.30, 87, 1.50, 88, 1.50, 4.30.
W M Davis, impd Mumford st, 83, 3.51, 84, 4.30, 7.81.
Mrs R D Davis, impd Mumford st, res, 85, 3.00, 86, 3.30, 87, 2.50, 88, 2.50, 11.30.
Sol T Evans, res Chancy st. 86, 1.26, 87, 4.27, 88, 4.25, 9.78.
T C Fuller, vac Campbelton, 83, 25c, 84, 25c, 85, 25c, 86, 50c, 87, 50c 88, 50c, 2.25.
J H Giil, res Mumford st, 86, 52c, 87, 3.50, 88, 4.25, 8.27.
Mary Ann Hodges, res Bass st, 84, 1,00, 85, 1.00, 86, 1.00, 87, 1.00, 88, 1.00, 5.00.
J M Horah, warehouse, Campbelton, 87, 75c, 88, 75c, 1.50.
Mrs W S Jessup, impd cor Green and Mason sts, 86, 10.00, 87, 10.00, 88, 10.00, 30.00.
Arina Johnson, vac Cool Spring st, 86, 50c, 87, 75c, 88, 75c, 2.00.
D N McLean, agt for Jno Kennedy, store, Hay st, 86, 2.50.
Mrs Jno Kennedy, store, Hay st, 87, 4.00, 88, 4.00, 8.00.
Jas R Lee, res Rowan st, 86, 11.15, 87, 13.65, 88, 12.50, 37.30.
Harry Lee, res Water st, 86, 2.00, 87, 2.00, 88, 2.00, 6.00.
J A McDougald, agt, store Gillespie st, 85, 8.00, 86, 8.00, 87, 8.00, 88, 8.00, 32.00.
A Moore, store Green st, 86, 20.00, 87, 22.50, 88, 16.50, 59.00.
Sarah C Moore, Raiford's Alley, 83, 4.00, 84, 4.50, 85, 4.50, 86, 4.50, 87, 4.50, 88, 4.25, 26.25.
Henry Mitchell, res Mechanic st, 85, 1.00, 86, 2.00, 87, 2.25, 88, 3.02, 8.27.
Wm Marsh, impd, Blount st. 86, 2.50, 87, 3.25, 5.75.
Mrs Jos Otterbourg, store Hay st, 86, 12.75, 87, 20.00, 32.75.
J R Overton, impd Water st, 86, 2.65, 87, 5.27, 88, 3.00, 10.92.
D Rose, office, Bow st, 86, 2.00, 87, 2.75, 88, 3.50, 8.25.
L C Straughn, impd Broad st, 85, 2.50, 86, 7.85, 87, 5.50, 15.85.
A S. Huske & Co, Straughn house, 88, 32.75.
Jas Tucker, vac, Chatham st, 86, 1.53, 87, 3.50, 88, 4.25, 9.28.
Mrs. H. M. Turner, vac, Cumberland st, 86, 50c, 87, 1.50, 88, 1.50, 3.50.
S G Vaughn, vac, Mumford st, 86, 1.50, 87, 1.50, 88, 1.50, 4.00.
Samuel Williams, Wilmington Road, 86, 1.00, 87, 2.25, 88, 2.25, 5.50.
Jas A Williams, Wilmington Road, 86, 3.40, 87, 40c, 3.80.
E P Williams, vac, Person st, 86, 2.50, 87, 4.50, 88, 4.50, 11.50.
Mrs S C Weill, Otterbourg store, Hay st, 88, 20.00.
Mrs L Wood, lot, Mumford st, 86, 5.00, 87, 5.00, 88, 5.00, 15.00

Jan'y 10, 1889. 4t

FROM THE CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

Mr. A. E. Hawkes has gained a national reputation as a practical optician, and his celebrated spectacles and spring eye-glasses are known throughout the United States. We are writing this article with a pair of his new crystalized lenses, and they seem to us as transparent as light itself; and with them the finest print is as clear as in youth.—*Editor Christian Advocate.*

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By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by E. G. Styron to The Bank of Fayetteville, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book I, No. 4, Page 514, the following property will be exposed to sale by public auction, viz:

"THE CAROLINA ROLLER MILLS,"

being those very valuable Merchant Mills recently built and operated by E. G. Styron, Esq., on Cross Creek, in the Town of Fayetteville. Said Mills are provided with the latest improvements in machinery and are in perfect order. Said property is fully scribed in above-recited deed.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.
Time of sale: Thursday, Feb'y 14th, at 12 o'clock M.
Terms of sale: Cash.
For further particulars apply to
J. D. WILLIAMS, Pres't Bank of Fayetteville.
C. W. BROADFOOT, Att'y.
Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 1889. ts

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Nov 29, tf

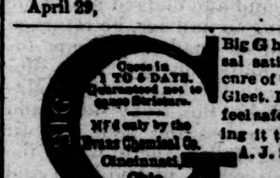
Executor's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as Executor of the last Will and Testament of the late Mary W. Hall, hereby notifies all persons indebted to her estate to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against her Estate to present them within one year from this date or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.

W. W. HUSKE, Executor of Mary W. Hall.

Dec. 11, 6w

THOS. M. HUNTER, D. D. S.,



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CONDENSED SCHEDULE NO. 7.

Taking effect 3.45 A. M., Monday, January 7, 1889.

TRAINS MOVING NORTH.

	No. 1. Passenger and Mail.	Fr'ght & Accom'a.
Leave Bennettsville,	5:20 a. m.	6:00 a. m.
Arrive Maxton,	6:30 a. m.	8:20 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	6:40 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	8:25 a. m.	1:25 p. m.
Leave Fayetteville,	8:50 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
Arrive Sanford,	10:50 a. m.	1:20 p. m
Leave Sanford,	11:10 a. m.	2:30 p. m
Arrive Greensboro,	2:25 p. m.	7:25 p. m.
Leave Greensboro,	2:50 p. m.	12:30 p. m.
Arrive Mt. Airy,	6:50 p. m.	7.10 p. m.

No. 1—breakfast at Fayetteville, dinner at Greensboro.

TRAINS MOVING SOUTH.

	No. 2. Passenger and Mail.	Fr'ght & Accom'a.
Leave Mt. Airy,	3:45 a. m.	6:30 a. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	7:45 a. m.	1:00 p. m.
Leave Greensboro,	10:00 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
Arrive Sanford,	1:30 p. m.	1:50 p. m.
Leave Sanford,	1:55 p. m.	2:30 p. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	4:00 p. m.	5 50 p. m.
Leave Fayetteville,	4:15 p. m.	5:40 a. m.
Arrive Maxton,	6:15 p. m.	9:45 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	6:25 p m	10:35 a. m.
Arrive Bennettsville,	7:45 p. m.	1:00 p. m.

No. 2—breakfast at Greensboro, dinner at Sanford.

Factory and Madison Branches—Freight and Accommodation.

TRAINS MOVING NORTH.

Leave Millboro	8:00 a. m.
Arrive Greensboro	9:30 a. m.
Leave Greensboro,	10:10 a. m.
Arrive Madison	12:25 p. m.

TRAINS MOVING SOUTH.

Leave Madison	1:45 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro	4:15 p. m.
Leave Greensboro	4:45 p. m.
Arrive Millboro	6:30 p. m

Passenger and Mail Trains run daily except Sunday.

Freight and Accomodation Train runs from Bennettsville to Fayetteville Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; from Fayetteville to Greensboro on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; from Greensboro to Mt. Airy on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; from Mt. Airy to Greensboro on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; from Greensboro to Fayetteville on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and from Fayetteville to Bennettsville on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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W. E. KYLE, General Passenger Agent.
J. W FRY, General Superintendent.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R. AND BRANCHES.

Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

DATED Sep. 16, 1888.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	2 05 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	3 17 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*4 50 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	10 50 P. M.	
Arrive Wilson	3 50 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	*4 10 "	
Arrive Selma	5 19 "	
Arrive Fayetteville	7 45 "	
Leave Goldsboro	4 40 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	5 50 "	
Leave Magnolia	6 05 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	7 40 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 78, Daily.	No. 14, Daily.
Leave Wilmington	9 00 A. M.	12 05 A. M.
Leave Magnolia	10 35 "	1 24 "
Leave Warsaw	10 50 "	
Arrive Goldsboro	11 40 "	2 25 A. M.
Leave Fayetteville	*8 00 A. M.	
Arrive Selma	10 23 "	
Arrive Wilson	11 50 "	
Leave Wilson	12 42 P. M.	3 02 A. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 20 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*4 50 "	
Leave Tarboro	10 50 A. M.	
Arrive Weldon	2 40 P. M.	4 30 A. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

J. R. KENLY, Sup't Trans. JOHN F. DIVINE, General Sup't.
T. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.